
THE NUGGET.

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Look out for the cross mark on your paper.

The records show that the past month was the hottest May since 1879.

The soldiers at Manila will soon be feasting on two million pounds of frozen beef sent them by Uncle Sam.

The Constitution says that it is untrue about the small pox being in that city, as was stated by the Marietta Journal last week.

There will be a great deal of gloom over Dewey when he returns by many people who wish to make themselves conspicuous.

It is said that a dissatisfied negro burnt the colored church at Dawson, Ga., one night last week. It's no use to lynch this negro. The devil will look after him.

Bro. Mincy, of the Pickens County Herald is for Carter Tate for Congress first, last and all the time, who never misses putting in a word for his man when an opportunity is offered.

The divorce evil is increasing. The census report of 1890 shows that the number of divorces increased from 9,337 in 1867, to 25,535 in 1886, and the number has been increasing largely ever since.

Some say if the negro is educated it will stop him in his wild career of crime. This won't work. Years ago when negroes didn't know a letter in the book you never heard of an outrageous crime by one of them.

The blockaders of Dawson county had bad luck last week by losing two of their stills. One being destroyed by the Dahlonega officials and the other by those located at Jasper. The reporter is getting in good work it seems.

The road tax in Emanuel county is \$4.00 or four days work—ten hours a day. And they have better roads than they do in Lumpkin county where the hands are supposed to put in nine days each year. All roads should be worked by taxation.

A late dispatch from Manila says that the rebels have taken on new activity. They keep the United States-troops in the trenches. There will be great suffering in the island of Luzon, and the United States will have to feed many thousand Filipinos.

Atlanta is building up faster than any other city in the South and the rapid progress she is making entitles her to one of the best and most modern style passenger depots that can be erected. The present one is a disgrace to the city in her present state of prosperity.

The J. G. Hynds Manufacturing Co. will move its shoe factory from Gainesville to Atlanta after the first of October. The planning mill and retail and wholesale department in Gainesville will be closed out between now and then. This is a big loss to Gainesville, as it turns out 1,000 pairs of shoes a day.

The Jasper Herald very truthfully remarks that nearly all the crimes that are committed in this country can be traced to whiskey as their cause, directly or indirectly; so nearly all costs of courts are caused by whiskey. But perhaps eight men out of ten in the county drink, or are at least friendly to the greatest curse on earth.

This is a funny world. An editor may owe as much as twenty or thirty dollars, and if he can't pay it he is looked upon as being a rascal, but at the same time as five hundred people may owe that same editor a dollar a piece, which they could easily pay but won't; and not one of them is looked upon as a rascal. This is funny to all—except the editor.—Jasper Herald.

Mining Notes.

At the Lockhart Mr. Crisson has hands engaged in cleaning out the 500 foot tunnel for the purpose of reaching some valuable ore heretofore discovered.

The Crescent mill has been suspended for a few days until some "dead stuff" can be washed off to enable them to reach the bed of ore. They will work their ore dry hereafter.

Castleberry and Crisson are taking out some ore from what is known as the Stow property near the college and hauling it to the mill for the purpose of a test, we suppose.

The number of hands at the Hand was reduced to fifty this week on account of most of the "outside" work being done. This reduction is temporary, however, as a much larger force will be put on as the work advances as fast as they can be beneficially used.

Capt. McAfee has been working in the interest of the great Georgia and British Co., who, we understand, is still taking options and in the course of a few more weeks it is expected that men will be sent here from London to operate the mines in which they are interested on a big scale.

Little is being done at the Findley and but few hands are engaged at the Barlow. The Company has most of its attention turned to the Hand, making as much speed as possible so as to get the big mill and chlorination plant ready by first of September. Later on a large number of hands will be put to work at all the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co's mines.

John Henry Crawford, who accompanied Mr. Mayne to this section to examine mineral lands, is now on his return to London. Just before leaving he was in Atlanta and informed a Constitution reporter that he would make a favorable report on Georgia mining properties when he reached there. Mr. Crawford expects to return to Georgia in July.

Mining is looking up at Auraria again. A gentleman told us last Tuesday that he never saw a brighter prospect for the business in that end of the county before. Some sales have already occurred while other gentlemen are coming down from the north with an eye to purchasing. A gentleman is expected there from Ohio this week to look at some property and it may be that the mine will change hands before another issue of this paper appears.

The operators of the Street mine have suspended work on account of being unable to keep the water down with buckets. It is very rich but it will not pay the parties working it to go to the expense of putting in pumps on a mine in the street which could not be purchased nor leased for a longer period than the expiration of the present year. It may be that the next one would be opposed to it being worked at all. But if Col. Moore strikes this vein it will be on private property and he will be able to put in all the machinery necessary for its working, that is if it should become necessary for any pumps at the point where he is engaged.

Since Young Grindle has bar gained his half interest in the lot of land on which a rich discovery was recently made by Thomas Beasley and his son, this prospect has been engaged in developing the other part of the lot and some adjoining belonging to S. D. and James Grindle, on the same lead of this new discovery. We talked with Mr. Beasley the other day, who stated to us that he had discovered one vein but it was not the one he was mostly in search of. He was after the best one which fed this rich deposit and created so much excitement in mining circles. He showed a bottle about half full of different size nuggets weighing thirty pennyweights which he had gotten off of the property. He said such as this was what kept him in good heart.

A LYNX WITH A CHILD.

Two Little Children Kill it and Save the Life of Their Baby Sister.

We are permitted to publish a portion of a private letter written last week by J. V. Harrison, who is now in Kingman, Arizona, to his wife in Dahlonega, giving an account of two little children in that section killing a lynx and saving their little sister. He says:

"Let me tell you what happened to a child several miles from this place, though I know the family well. They live near the river on a farm. One morning last week the sixteen-months-old baby was out from the house some distance playing under the shade of a big tree. They heard it begin to cry and a little girl and a boy about the size of Johnnie and Carrie ran to the child and found that a big lynx had it by the arm dragging it off. Neither one of the children had anything to fight with. So they both ran up and caught the animal by the ear and throat and held on to it, threw it down and the child choked it to death while the little boy held its legs to keep it from scratching her to death. Both got badly scratched but they never let loose until it was dead.

A lynx is something as large as a wild cat, only larger. This one was about the size of a common dog. This all happened. Persons who saw the children as they were brought to the doctor here state that the child was badly bitten in the shoulder and arm but will get over it. The girls clothes were torn into strings. What do you think of that for the wild west?"

Are You Anxious For A Railroad to Homer?

The Dahlonega Railway Company will without delay secure subscriptions to build and equip a line of rail road from Dahlonega to Lula, Gainesville, some point between, or some point near one of these on the Southern Railway. These men who are asking for this petition are well known business men and capitalists, and they mean to build the road and to do so with delay.

Now if the business men of Banks county want a rail road NOW is the time. Hold out sufficient inducements to the company to bring the road to Lula or Belton and with the natural road to Homer, we can have a rail road.

This road is being built for the primary benefit of Dahlonega and for the development of the gold fields of marble and granite quarries of North Georgia. Should the company meet with the hearty support and encouragement of our people they might be induced to tap the Southern at Lula or Belton, then the road could be extended through Banks and Franklin and into Carolina thereby developing one of the best timbered sections in Northeast Georgia.

There is an other company considering the construction of another line of road almost parallel or identical with this first proposed route. Unquestionably one or both routes will be built and should Banks or Franklin want a road now is the time to act. We had a chance at the air line, we had a chance at the Northeastern. Do you want a chance at this one? Let Rail road talk live up. There is enough idle capital in Banks county to build a road, build it and lower your tax rate, enhance the value of your property, develop the county, and get closer in touch with the outside world. Remember the rail road is natural from Lula or Belton to Homer and the grading can be easily accomplished. The distance is short about 12 miles. Now let the citizens of the county become thoroughly aroused to the necessity of the road and call a meeting at once for the consideration of the matter. Do you want it? Are you anxious? What will you do towards building this road?—Banks County Journal.

R. C. Wood returned from Kansas last Tuesday.

More Interesting Railroad News.

Since the advertisement of the Dahlonega Railroad Company, asking for a charter to build a road to some point on the Southern railroad between Belton and Gainesville, has appeared, it has not only stirred up the citizens of Banks county but caused parties in Atlanta to become very much interested, and it looks now like we will have one railroad to Dahlonega sure and a good chance for two from different points in the near future. There are men in Atlanta who are interested in the building of a road from Ball Ground to the marble quarries in Pickens county. Capt. F. W. Hall received a letter from one of these gentlemen the other day asking for the co-operation of the Dahlonega Company in the extension of the road from Ball Ground on to Dahlonega. The gentleman stated that they stood ready to co operate with the company in any move that would insure its extension. He further stated that if a road was built to the Air-Line that they were certain to build theirs on to Dahlonega. This road from Ball Ground via Dawsonville to our town would, as has been stated often, give an outlet to the most valuable marble quarries in the United States, and open up one of the richest timbered, water and mineral sections in the South.

Hall Mds Co's Bill of Fare.

Finest patent flour in the city. Fresh sugar cured hams and breakfast bacon.

Cut loaf and granulated sugar. Full line of canned goods.

All pork sausage in oil. Plain and bolted meal, water ground.

Lemon and vanilla wafers, lady fingers, iced honey jumbles, snow flakes, plain sodas, etc., just arrived. Lemons, bananas, and pineapples. Chickens, eggs, and all kinds of country produce. Finest line of pickles, olives and sauces, bottled and in bulk in North Georgia.

We can supply your every want. THE FRANK W. HALL MDS CO.

BEWARE OF CINTMENTS FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists, price 75, per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

BLACKSMITHING.

J. H. & W. B. ANDERSON

Have opened out a blacksmith shop in the old Wooten stand and respectfully ask the citizens of Dahlonega and surrounding country for a share of their patronage. Prices reasonable. may 26

NOTICE.

All persons who are indebted to me for a bill from my jack are requested to come at once and settle. Pay the money or give note and security—waive note and present interest, or you will find your accounts in my Spurr's hands. J. EDWARDS.

\$25 NEW HIGH ARM Favorite Singer
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Drop leaf, fancy cover, two large drawers, nickel rings, and a full set of attachments, equal to any Singer Machine sold from \$40 to \$60 by Canners. A trial in your home before payment is asked. Buy direct from the Manufacturer and save agents' profits besides getting certificate of warranty for five years. Send for testimonials to Co-operative Sewing Machine Co., 201 S. 11th St., Phila., Pa. **AS WE PAY FREIGHT.**

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Everything found in a General

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Mining Supplies a Specialty.

We thank you for your patronage. In the past and ask a continuation of the same. Respectfully,

J. F. MOORE

Merchant Gurley returned from Gainesville last Wednesday.

Table jellies (in glasses) at E. S. Copelands.

Frank Adams is now clerking at the new Consolidated Commissary.

M. G. Head will open out a store in Dahlonega first of next month.

See Hall Mose Co's bill of fare for commencement on opposite page.

Miss May Quillian, of Belton, came in Wednesday to attend commencement.

J. B. Witt, the Consolidated Commissary's bookkeeper is expected here about the 10th.

To-morrow you can find canned cherries, pork and beans, sour kront, &c., at Copelands.

Eggs are so scarce here that one of our merchants has sent down to Gainesville after one hundred dozen.

A new postoffice has been established out in Dayis' district at the store of Joseph Smith called Hedwig.

The Bruce house, recently purchased by the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co., is receiving a new coat of paint.

Dr. J. E. Cartledge, who has been located in Atlanta for some time is up on a visit until first of next week.

Mr. Davidson, postmaster at Cleveland, spent last Saturday night in Dahlonega with Capt. H. D. Ingersoll.

Mr. Woodson expressed himself as being displeased with the first days work of the telephones hands and they all quit work.

N. V. Vickery, a brother of Prof. E. V. Vickery, of Dahlonega, was in our town last week in the interest of a Chattanooga firm.

Miss Oma Wheelchel, of Hall county, who has been attending the N. G. A. College, after being sick for a few days, was carried home last Sunday where she could receive the attention of her parents.

It is said that it looked like war in the other end of town the other night when two fellows fell out about their "spices" and wanted to fight. One raised an ax and the other drew his fist, but fortunately neither made a flick.

Last Sunday one week ago two brothers who are attending college here by the name of Stamey, were notified by a messenger while in church that their mother was at the point of death. They went home at once but we regret to learn that the life of the one they loved so well had faded away before they got there.

J. M. Brooksher and John Chatman have formed a copartnership and will open out a store at Jay. The postoffice will be re-established at that place and business will open up in a lively manner. Mr. Brooksher will continue to do business here in Dahlonega in his own name and on his own hook. He has no partner here.

The Dahlonega Telephone Company held a meeting last Saturday to dispose of some important matters. Among other things was to select a place for the head office and fix the rates. Dr. C. H. Jones offered the best inducements for it to be established at his drug store and got it. The rates are 25 cents for a five minutes conversation and he agreed to look after it for ten per cent of the receipts on this end of the line. A switch board of the latest improved style will be put in and in a few more days you can have a 25 miles conversation if you desire with a friend in Gainesville. Then if you do not wish to do this you can speak to some one up at Porter Springs, for Col. Farrow is making arrangements to connect his line here at once. Two offices will be established at Murrayville.

White fish and mullet at E. S. Copelands.

Eggs have been selling at 12 1/2 cents per dozen in Dahlonega this week.

Capt. Ingersoll went to Gainesville Tuesday and returned the next day.

Frank Baker, of Atlanta, was in the city last Tuesday selling goods and visiting relatives.

The band which will furnish music for the commencement exercises will be in to-morrow.

Rev. G. Hughes has been in very bad health for near a week and is not expected to live long unless a change takes place.

A nice line of picture frames at Anderson & Jones' at reduced prices. \$2.00 frames at \$1.50, \$1.75 frames at \$1.25. Call and see them.

Joseph Lance succeeded in catching the fox in a steel trap the other day which had been coming right up in the yard in the day time carrying off his chickens.

FOR SALE.—An organ, a wagon, buggy and some real estate, some of the latter being town property. Any one wishing to purchase can call on G. McGuire and F. L. Reese, executors of N. W. Wimpy.

We are requested by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Worley to return thanks to all the citizens of Dahlonega who tendered their services and gave such kind attention and valuable assistance during the sickness of Mrs. Goodrum.

Al. Roberts and his son Charlie, who got mad at a reception given some of their kindfoks a few Sundays ago which resulted in a fight, came in Monday night and entered a plea of guilty for disorderly conduct, but at last accounts had not been sentenced.

One of the school boys has not slept a wink since last Saturday. A certain married woman presented him with a nice vase of flowers on that day and he has been sitting looking at them ever since, but they have commenced to wither now and it may be that he will fall asleep and not wake up until after commencement.

Asbury Porter went out to the jail to spend the night with the sheriff. Next morning Deputy Marshal Grizzle went up and told the young man that he could stay longer, at the same time producing the proper papers for his arrest, charging him with handling liquor in an illegitimate manner. The next day (Wednesday) he had a trial and was bound over.

Last Saturday about one hundred people were present at the dedication of the new school house in Auraria district which will be known hereafter as the "Betz School No. 20," named after a German residing in the north who donated the ground upon which the house is built. Col. Price made an interesting address which was listened to very attentively by all present. After the dedication ceremonies were over many baskets were opened and an old time picnic took place, making it an occasion which will long be remembered, for a more happier or pleasant time never occurred.

The letter received from Gadsdton giving an account of the courtships of Fulton Williams and Sam McGee is too long unless it contained something new. It is a well known fact to most of our readers here that both of these gentlemen are popular among the girls, and Fulton's popularity among the fair sex even extends to this side of the mountain and it is not confined strictly to the single ones either. The other day when he was over here and started home a certain woman quit washing the breakfast dishes when she heard that he was going to start away and went way out on the Mahew road and strewed flowers a considerable distance for him to walk on besides shedding many tears of regret. Therefore the letter contains nothing new on this line is why we do not publish it.

Mrs. Robert Marlow is lying at the point of death.

J. T. Miller, of Auraria, passed through Dahlonega last Sunday.

City Marshal Blackwell is now dressed up in a new uniform.

The crops are looking fine in this section. The bird worms seem to be the only thing giving the farmers any trouble just now.

Thomas Lee, a farmer aged 55 residing only five miles above our town, hauled his first load of wood to Dahlonega last Saturday.

Newton Satterfield says from the appearance of his corn in the bottoms last Friday and Saturday there was a light frost both mornings.

Next week's NUGGET will contain a full account of the commencement exercises. If you can't be here and want to hear all about it send for the paper.

One day last week Mrs. John Calhoun, of this county, suddenly became speechless, but we are glad to state that at last accounts the lady was improving.

Some of the poultry raisers have been bringing the old grand mother hens to town and selling them. They are not able to quarrel but put in good time clucking.

The price of stationery is increasing, the advance on envelopes being ten cents on the thousand within the past few days. So if you need any job work you had better send in at once.

The Banks County Journal is urging her people to offer the Dahlonega Railroad Company such inducements as will cause its road to run to Lula or Belton so that it can be extended to Banks and Franklin counties and Carolina. See the article elsewhere.

Messrs. R. C. Thomson, J. W. Smith and Mark Hopkins, stockholders and directors of the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co., after spending a couple of days here last week in showing a Mr. Porter and another monied gentleman around over the mines, departed for their homes on Saturday last.

The Dahlonega C. G. M. Co., expects to put in a dynamo down at the Hand to light up its plant there and its business house in Dahlonega with incandescent lights besides having street lights all the way from the mines to the store. This is another move which shows that this company means business.

Last Friday Shoal Creek district, adjoining Nimbewill district in Lumpkin county, held its third stock law election, and the result showed that the voters are gradually becoming opposed to it. At the first election it tied, the second no fence carried by 3, and this time the stock law men lost by a majority of seven. This will likely end the stock law elections in that district for some time to come.

The way they have got to conducting a funeral in Dahlonega of late years is tiresome and keeps many a person from attending. When a person who is very well liked dies the corpse is carried to the church where some selected minister preaches. After he closes every one in the house who can talk in public is permitted to get up and consume just as much time as they desire and in this manner the congregation is kept cramped up from two to three hours, matters not how hot or cold it is. This is why the attendance of funerals here are gradually growing less.

There are a number of remedies published of late for the destruction of the potato bug. The last one we notice is to soak tobacco in water and sprinkle the potato tops with the strong water. This may be a good remedy. Some of those persons not having any sprinkler who use tobacco and go to church and spit their amber out on the wall two or three feet high should get out in the garden and try the bugs a while. We bet they can knock out a dozen or two of their eyes every squirt. Persons who can ruin the wall of a church can surely make a clean sweep of every bug in their gardens.

Col. Baker paid Atlanta a short visit this week.

The Old Students' banquet will be held at the Court House Tuesday night.

B. R. Meades left for Swainsboro last Monday to be gone until to-morrow.

Call Strickland is now handling the yard stick behind the counter at J. F. Moores.

Charley Dougherty, of Dawson county, was bound over here yesterday for illicit distilling.

Capt. J. W. Woodward has purchased what is known as the John Thomas house down at Mechanicsville.

The colored Baptist people had an interesting meeting at their church last Sunday, being attended by many whites.

We notice that the Sheriff of Hall county is building a grist mill. While ours is making a large crop of corn. This shows that industry is abroad in the land.

Geo. McGee, a mechanic of Demorest, has moved his family to Dahlonega for the purpose of assisting the other workmen in building up the Golden City.

Parties taking the NUGGET out of the postoffice for their friends should deliver them promptly and thus save the editor and the postmaster from many a cursing.

Capt. Adams, president of the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co., after remaining here for several weeks in the interest of his large mining operations took his departure last Saturday.

J. J. Goodrum, after being here several days, left for his home in Newnan last Tuesday. The people of the whole community sympathize with him in the loss of his mother.

Much of the 250,000 feet of lumber wanted by the Dahlonega G. M. Co., advertised in the NUGGET a few issues ago, has already been contracted. This shows what advertising will do.

Some days since a happy marriage occurred at the residence of Mr. R. J. Satterfield, the contracting parties being his daughter, Miss Martha, and Mr. Wm. Davis, Rev. J. E. Blackburn officiating. Success to them throughout life is our wish.

Dan Childers, who has been in jail for a few days, charged by the grand jury for having tried to act Sampson, only that he used an ax instead of a bone, made bond last Monday and is now enjoying the pure mountain breezes. George and Dan Corn signed his bond.

The public school houses have been named and the signs painted and hung out at the proper places as fast as the work can be done. One was named after a Northern gentleman who donated liberally for the proper furniture of the institution. This goes to show that there is no bad blood here between the Northern and Southern people.

Jule Townsend and Rene Adams were brought up before Mayor Price last Tuesday charged with keeping a disorderly house in the outskirts of town beyond Crane's Hill. There were quite a number of witnesses examined. Marshal Blackwell told what he saw on the evening after the match game of base ball was over which was pretty conclusive evidence. But other evidence by some colored people was produced, being very damaging to the spoilt doves, which was listened to with much interest by all present, even to the church members. At the conclusion the mayor bound them over to the Superior Court and they were both placed in jail in default of bonds. There was no trouble to get sufficient testimony to bind them for a witness afterwards stated that there were some officials and other "gentlemen," as she called them, present at the trial who frequented the place even during the day, whose names the witness would have given right in the court room had the mayor not stopped her.

The population of Dahlonega still continues to increase.

WANTED.—150 cords of wood cut. Apply to F. M. Williams & Son.

Bear in mind that we furnish the envelopes and paper and print them cheaper than you can buy the blank material.

Uncle Joe Brown told us Friday that he was done planting corn. It does look like all the younger farmers ought to be able to say the same.

Remember that we are turning out letterheads and envelopes as nice and cheaper than you can have them printed in either Atlanta or Gainesville.

While Miss Rose Jackson, an old woman living alone in Yaboola district, was sick recently, some thief stole all of her corn except about a bushel.

Some one having the money should build a lot of cottages in Dahlonega. Empty ones are in demand now, and a better investment could not be made.

Mr. Woodson commenced putting up the telephone posts last Wednesday and it will only be a few more days until we can hallow: "Hello, Gainesville!"

Thursday of last week James Cavender fell from a bank between the Hand and Yaboola mines while engaged at work and received some painful but not serious injuries.

We are told that when W. H. Cook, who left Dahlonega for the Rocky Mountains a few weeks ago, arrived there he found it snowing and there had just been a big freeze.

Remember that the tax receiver will be in Dahlonega to-day and to-morrow, after which time he will close his book and double tax you if you have failed to make your return.

Before another issue of the NUGGET the college bell will be silent and the cadets at their homes. We hope that they will all have a pleasant vacation and a safe return to Dahlonega in the fall.

When you come to town next week and have a watch or clock needing repairing carry it to G. H. McGuire, the jeweler, and have it put in good shape, or anything else you wish in his line fixed up in good style.

We learn that the baby editor of the Signal stated last week that he had been crying because the NUGGET failed to reach his exchange table. He should take a good dose of worm medicine, then he would be less painful and not near so tender hearted as he is now.

This is what the Watkinsville paper has to say of one of our former townsmen: "Mr. A. W. Meaders is a farmer who is bound to make a success of the business. He realizes that the all cotton fallacy will not do, hence he diversifies his crops and raises stock and chickens besides. He has three full blooded Berkshire hogs and a number of pigs, as well as a few choice selections of the best brood of fowls. We had the pleasure of visiting Mr. Meaders' home near Watkinsville a few days since and this affable gentleman took great pleasure in showing us his stock and poultry. This country needs more farmers like Mr. Meaders."

Mr. Woodson, an electrician from Atlanta, went over to the Chestatee last Monday, accompanied by merchants Moore and Gurley, to examine the dynamo owned by Capt. F. W. Hall, who states that it is sufficient to light up all the houses in Dahlonega who desiring it. Capt. Hall proposes to do this for one hundred dollars per month. It is thought that there are enough interested to want one hundred of the incandescent lights, costing only one dollar per month, being cheaper than oil in the end. Of course if one hundred are not desired each will cost more. At any rate it will take \$100 per month to get any lights at all.

The report that Gabe Bryan died in the West a few weeks ago is a mistake.

G. McGuire has just received a fresh lot of candy and crackers. Also a nice lot of hams.

Capt. Hall informs us that if he does not sell the old Drug Store property that he will repair it some time in the future—as soon as lumber can be procured. No chance to get any now.

John Huff, of Half Way, was in Dahlonega last Saturday for the first time in a number of weeks. He has been in bad health but is improving now, having been unable to do any mining in a long time.

Due to the scarcity of flowers this season a certain lady is engaged in making paper ones for commencement purposes. They are real pretty and lovers of flowers who see them are most sure to smell of them, they are so natural.

Photographer Bruce went up to Oak Grove last Sunday to train his voice so as to be able to give his friends and visitors some old time vocal music when they call to see him at the gallery, as well as to attract the attention of his customers while taking their pictures—especially the ladies and babies—so as to enable him to take a good pleasant looking negative at the first sitting. Give him a call if you are fond of music and wish any work done in his line.

A. J. Ash, one of the most prosperous farmers in Lumpkin county, went to North Carolina and secured a new variety of red wheat which he sowed as an experiment and now has about twelve acres of the largest and finest grain ever produced in Lumpkin county, which is ready to cut while his neighbors wheat is just heading out. He thinks that it will make from twelve to fifteen bushels to the acre. Any farmer wishing seed of this variety of wheat can get it from Mr. Ash.

Mrs. Caroline E. Goodrum, died at the residence of her son-in-law, Capt. W. J. Worley, last Saturday morning after an illness of only about a week, aged 76. On Sunday morning previous she was sitting at the breakfast table eating and conversing, anticipating a visit during the day, when she was stricken with paralysis and lingered until death claimed her as its own, relieving her of all pain and suffering and she is now gone to meet her husband, Thomas Goodrum, who passed away some eleven years ago. Mrs. Goodrum was the mother of seven children, five of whom are still living. She had been a consistent member of the Methodist church since childhood and attended services as long as she was able to go. Her remains were interred in Mt. Hope cemetery by the side of her husband on Sunday at noon in the presence of a large concourse of people. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. D. M. Edwards, pastor of the M. E. church.

Dixie Keenan, the daughter of poor hard working parents residing a few miles from Dahlonega, came to town last Friday and went before Squire Allen and swore out a warrant against Frank Rider, charging him with bastardy and had the paper placed in the sheriff's hands for immediate execution but he didn't go over until Monday afternoon, and now the man is gone and the girl's character is gone who has nothing left her but a child to support. This should be another sad warning to those who often put too much confidence in men who they take to be their friends and lovers. Some complaints are being made because the sheriff didn't go and make an effort to catch Rider immediately after receiving the warrant. The sheriff stated to us that he told them at the time that he could not go then. But we will say that all officers should be as prompt as possible in such cases, for girls have got nothing but their character and if the officers and courts fail to protect them what will they do? Later.—We understand that the sheriff made the arrest and Rider got away.

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A Louisville Ky., Judge has ruled that if a woman wears a man's hat into court, she must take it off like a man. The ruling is good, as far as it goes; but how is that judge, or any other judge, going to distinguish between a man's hat and a woman's hat in these days when the latter sex is appropriating the habiliments of the former from top to toe? Would the judge appoint a committee of experts to pass upon whether the hat, and the coat, and the waistcoat, and the shirt, etc., were properly the clothing of man or woman.

Every woman will give money the right of way when it wants to talk.

Bad management keeps more people in poor circumstances than any other one cause. To be successful one must look ahead and plan ahead so that when a favorable opportunity presents itself he is ready to take advantage of it. A little forethought will also save much expense and valuable time. A prudent and careful man will keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house, the shiftless fellow will wait until necessity compels it and then ruin his best horse going for a doctor and have a doctor bill to pay, besides, one pays out 25 cents, the other an out a hundred dollars and then wonders why his neighbor is getting richer while he is getting poorer. For sale by F. W. Hall Mds Co.

Facts Worth Repeating.

In battle only one ball out of eighty five takes effect.
The total area of the coal fields in the world is estimated at 471,800 square miles.

A lighthouse of bamboo has just been built in Japan. It is said to have greater power of resisting the waves than any other kind of wood, and does not rot like ordinary wood.

In Berlin the firemen wear water jackets, with a double skin, which they are able to fill with water from the hose. If the space between the two layers becomes overfilled the water escapes through a valve at the top of the helmet.

The Dahlonega Railroad.

We are reliably informed that the promoters of the Dahlonega Railroad scheme have been tendered by Col. W. P. Price free of cost, the right of way of the old Galesville and Dahlonega Railroad.

This road was graded some 14 miles about eighteen years ago and good stone pillars erected in the Chattahoochee which are said to be in good condition at this time.—Eagle.

It is said that Mr. Peffer, who pocketed \$5,000 per year as Senator, is now drawing \$10 per week as the editor of a Third party paper; and Hon. Thomas Watson, who "stood for the Vice Presidency, is running for alderman on the Democratic ticket in the village of Thompson, Ga. And that Col. Thomas Remsen, the king bee of the Populists in Lincoln county Ga., has declared that Populism is a "delusion and a snare." In the language of Judge Anthony, "God of Love! what next?"—Exchange.

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Do you realize what judgment you pass upon yourself when you judge the world? If the days seem always empty and dreary, if things are continually going wrong and people never "understand" you, and friendship seems a failure; it is time to ask yourself seriously what you are giving to the world. "Wherever thou goest thou carriest thyself with thee, and shalt ever find thyself." In the long run the world always reflects your own face.

It is surprising how some people will gladly exchange a small load of trouble for a large load of cheap liquor.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me. I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. Respectfully, MRS. MARY A. BEARD, Claremore, Ark. Sold by F. W. Hall Mds Co.

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A physician writes to the London Lancet that one reason why boys are more liable to typhoid fever than girls is that boys are more apt to play games in dirty streets and thus get disease germs on their hands and into their stomachs.

With the continued tendency of the negro to be emotional and not religious, to go on in the commission of crime, it is true white missionaries were called to go among them and try to teach morality into their hearts before educating the head. An immoral negro educated is only equipped with ability to be a worse man.—Marietta Journal.

A Missouri farmer has found that by planting onion and potatoes in the same field in alternative rows the onions become so strong that they bring tears to the eyes of potatoes in such vast volumes that the roots of the vines are kept moist and a big crop raised in spite of the drouth. The same farmer has a scheme for raising custard pies by crossing the egg plant with the milk weed.

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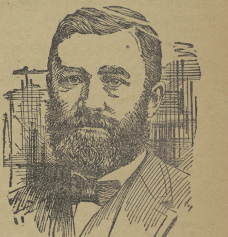
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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, JUNE 9, '99.

Entered at the Dahlonega, Ga. P. O. as second class matter.

Gainesville is going to have a cotton oil mill.

H. C. B. Parker, of McRea, Ga., has donated \$10,000 to Mercer University.

It seems from what the Marietta Journal says that Atlanta has certainly gotten several well developed cases of small pox.

Comex issues an address to his former soldiers in which he states that they should cheerfully co-operate with the Americans.

The Darien Gazette thinks that the burning of Mr. John Temple Graves in effigy is another reason why the state university should consider Mr. Graves' charges.

The last issue of the Georgia Cracker contained sixteen pages of very valuable information concerning her college and one of the most prosperous cities in Georgia.—Gainesville.

A large agency in London employs women for bailiffs, putting them in charge where the victim of distrust is a woman or an elderly person who is not likely to make trouble for the custodian.

Telegraphic dispatches from Manila state this week that Americans are suffering with intense heat. This war was begun for the sake of humanity for persons who ought not have concerned us. Now look at the result.

The Dahlonega Nugget is the best local paper that comes to this office. Brother Townsend won't go to press without a page of headless local news. The Nugget is quoted and clipped from more than any country weekly in the state.—Wiregrass Blade.

Last Tuesday a Mr. Barnett attempted to kill his own baby by cutting its throat with a razor. When prevented from doing so by his wife he then cut his own throat in two places. This occurred at Athens. Hell is too good a place for such men.

After a long and patient struggle the women physicians in Russia have secured a decree placing them upon an equality with the male physicians in the empire. All official positions will be open to them equally with men, and they will be entitled to pensions after the required length of service.

Our daily exchanges of Monday contained exciting information about the war with the Filipinos, such as "Desperate charges of American troops put to flight Filipinos—loss: three Americans killed and twenty hurt." Scarcely any notice would have been taken of this in the war previous to this.

Adjutant-General Corbin, of the war department, has prepared this statement of the number of deaths which have occurred in the army since the beginning of the war, with Spain: In Cuba, 1,299; in Porto Rico, 287; at Honolulu, 45; in the Philippines, 664; in the United States, 3,872—total 6,309. Pretty heavy loss on account of the sinking of the Maine.

Paris journals declare that dolls are going out of vogue, and one philosophical writer explains why. In the good old times, he says, dolls were sold undressed, and it was the pleasant task of the little girls to make dresses for them. Now they are bought dressed in the latest style, and the children, after playing with them a short time, throw them aside.

By order of the government of Massachusetts Bay in 1623, a special use was made of corn as ballot in public voting. At annual elections of the governor's assistant, in each town, a kernel of corn was deposited to signify a favorable vote upon the nominee, while a bean signified a negative vote, "and if any free man shall put in more than one Indian corn or bean, he shall forfeit for every such offence ten pounds."

Commencement N. G. A. College.

The last regular college work closed last Friday and soon afterwards the Buchanan orchestra arrived from Atlanta for the purpose of furnishing music for the entire commencement both at chapel and on the field. The exercises opened Saturday night with the declamation of "B" class. This was a prize contest, two gold medals having been offered as rewards for excellence. Nine boys and three girls entered the contest, and although they are in a preparatory class their declamations were splendid and were listened to with interest. The contest being ended the Captain of one of the military companies gave a number of the cadets an exercise in setting up drill which ended the entertainment of the evening.

Sunday morning Rev. J. W. Walden appeared on the stage to preach the annual sermon. His sermon can be found in the Bible and it reads as follows: "Oh Lord, I am thy servant." He spoke of the practical side of Christianity, showing that all good work is not confined to the pulpit. He also mentioned the importance of labor and showed very conclusively that no one has any right to occupy room in the world unless he performs some kind of mental or physical labor. The minister clearly illustrated the doctrine of Altruism, by placing Christianity as the foundation of all charity and the basis of the great brotherhood of humanity. He closed with some valuable remarks on the college course as a means of preparing students for after life.

Sunday night the Rev. Mr. Walden preached another interesting sermon to a large congregation at the college chapel.

Monday morning "A" class spoke in the prize declamation contest. Twelve speakers—nine boys and three girls—entered the contest. The declamations delivered by this class were certainly excellent and are seldom equaled by older and more experienced speakers.

Monday afternoon the sham battle took place. The artillery was stationed near the base of Findley Ridge and was attacked on the north by the infantry. After about thirty minutes of severe fighting the artillery squad was compelled to retreat, leaving the cannon in the possession of the enemy. More than thirty five hundred shots were fired, causing us to think of real warfare.

Monday night the Corona society gave an interesting entertainment at the chapel. The crowd that attended was unusually large. The chapel, no doubt, contained more people that night than at any one time before. The French play followed the Corona exercises. This play was something entirely new and it is doubtless the first time a foreign language has been spoken on the stage in Dahlonega. The play was indeed very interesting.

Tuesday morning the champion debate took place between the Decora Palestra and Phi Mu societies. The subject debated was "Resolved, That the signs of the times point to the universal adoption of Christianity." The affirmative was debated by N. W. Grant and T. W. Fielding of the Phi Mu society and the negative was represented by W. M. Smith and J. W. West of the Decora society. The utmost interest and enthusiasm was shown by the members of both societies and after a two-hour debate the judges rendered a decision in favor of the affirmative.

Tuesday afternoon the Freshman entered the declamation contest. The eight boys and five girls who contested showed thorough preparation for the contest by delivering a series of polished well committed declamations.

Tuesday evening the prize drill took place between "B" company and "A" company. All the commands having been given the judges awarded the prize to "B" company as being the best drilled company.

Tuesday night Senator J. W. H. Underwood delivered an address at the college chapel. After he addressed all the old students assembled at the court house for their banquet. Many old students were present, some of whom left the dear old college walls long ago and are now fighting the battles of life. It was a pleasant sight to see so many of the old students assembled in a joyful reunion. The Old Student's Association is only a year old but it bids fair to prove much benefit by keeping up a fraternal feeling among the old students.

Wednesday morning the Sophomore class contested for an elocution prize. Four boys and one girl entered the contest. Their declamations were well selected and well delivered.

Wednesday evening an inspection and review of the Battalion of cadets took place on the drill field. After the inspection the cadets marched to the college and deposited their guns and equipments in the armory where they will now rest in peace until next September.

Wednesday night the Junior and Senior classes contested for the oration medal. The contestants wrote their own speeches and delivered them well. After the contest closed President Stewart proceeded to deliver the diplomas. He conferred upon B. G. Parks the degree of bachelor of Arts, upon R. L. Johnson the degree of Licentiate of Instruction and granted E. M. Clark a commercial certificate. H. L. Peacock delivered the Decora society diplomas to B. G. Parks and R. L. Johnson. Col. W. P. Price then delivered teachers' licenses to a number of the students who mean to teach. The several medals were then awarded as follows:

First medal "B" class: N. H. Maddox, of Rockdale county.
Second medal "B" class: W. T. Townsend, of Pickens county.
First medal "A" class: Miss Blanch Gurley, of Lumpkin.
Second medal "A" class: N. W. Grant, of Habersham.
First medal Freshman class: Miss Maggie Crisson, of Lumpkin.
Second medal Freshman class: Miss Cora Wheelchel, of Hall.

Sophomore medal: J. W. West, of Campbell.
Junior oration medal: B. G. Parks, of Hall.
Company medal: "B" company.

Target medal: A. P. Lance, of Lumpkin county.
Rice Latin medal: Miss Eva McKee, of Dawson.
Clark mathematics medal: J. W. West, of Campbell.
The committee failed to agree on the Essay medal.

Mining Notes.

Work is progressing down at the Hand both day and night.
P. V. Moose is still "pegging away" down at the Ivey mine.
Part of the machinery has been received down at the Hand mine.
The Singleton ditch has been cleaned out and all the flumes repaired.

Any information concerning the mineral resources of Lumpkin and adjoining counties will be thankfully received. No false reports are wanted for we will not publish them.

Those interested have great hope of the success of the Georgia British Co. They say that they are satisfied all the properties bargained for will be taken in the near future.

Wash Jenkins is prospecting over on the Bass property and has already made some good discoveries. Wash is a miner of long experience and thoroughly understands his business.

Mr. Norwood informs us that they are going to put in a concentrator down at the Singleton at once. This is a move in the right direction and an example which the rest of the miners should follow.

Mr. Courtney showed us some beautiful specimens of gold ore this week taken from the Lone mine in White county, which he is

operating, which looked more like the rock being in the gold instead of the gold being in the rock. He says that there is no room for complaint as the mine is paying well.

Mining seems to be on a boom down in Auraria district judging from what our reliable correspondent writes us. He says: Kingsberry mine made 200 dwts. John Norrell mine made 480 and Jack Norrell cleaned up 90 pennyweights. Hargrove is getting his mine in good shape and the Stewart mine is showing up well. Tank and Wood are opening up the Hix property. It is showing up well, and W. T. Bryson has got some fine shows on his, and Loggins and Teal have made some rich discoveries on Turkey Hill.

H. D. Jaquish, of Gainesville, came up this week and purchased some valuable property which he sold to Mr. Bigbee on time some years ago. The sum he paid was \$6,885 besides placing a dollar in our hands for the Nugget. Mr. Jaquish says that he may become a citizen of Lumpkin county again. We, together with a large host of his friends here trust that he will. He is a member of the Miners Association which was organized in Gainesville some months ago and is a gentleman who will make a true report of the mineral resources of this section and be a benefit to the country. You will never hear anything like a Betz mine report from him. Our country is rich enough without any exaggeration.

A special from Washington city says: A report was received at the War Department to-day from one of the paymasters who was sent to Manila about two months ago to pay off the troops, to the effects that several thousands of dollars had been eaten up by ants. The announcement was received at first with amusement, but on reflection it was admitted that the matter was not so funny, after all.

Dahlonega is now going to have a railroad we believe and keep up with the progressive age.

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Gainesville, Lumpkin County. Will be sold before the court house door in Dahlonega, Lumpkin county, Ga., on the first Tuesday in July, 1899, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash, the following property: The undivided one-ninth interest in and to lot of land number 1210 in the 32nd district and first section of Lumpkin county, Georgia, levied on as the property of Jackson Norrell by virtue of and to satisfy two Justices Court fines issued from the Justice Court of the 82nd district, G. M., of said county in favor of The Frank W. Hall Mfg. Co. vs. said Jackson Norrell. Writ returned to the defendant and to the court in possession, levy made and returned to me by W. T. Westbrook, J. C. 28. Also lots of land Nos. 129, 127, 73, 67, 68, 69, 2 and 3 in the 12th district of Lumpkin county, also Nos. 33, 34, 35, 36, and half of 102 in the 6th district and first section of said county, or so much thereof as will satisfy a \$100 in the 122nd district, G. M., of Lumpkin county against Jerry Black and Louie Black principals, and F. M. Williams and M. J. Williams & Co. endorsers. In favor of J. G. Hyatt Manufacturing Co. Sold as the property of Jerry Black and Louie Black principals, and F. M. Williams and M. J. Williams & Co. endorsers. Also at the same time and place the following tract of land to-wit: Eighty-one acres of lot No. 139 in the first district of originally Habersham, and sixty-one acres of lot No. 97 in the eleventh district originally Hall, now Lumpkin county, both parcels of land lie adjacent to each other. Levied on to satisfy a \$100 from the Justice Court of the 82nd district, G. M., in favor of W. P. Price vs. W. H. Satterfield. Administrator of William T. Stringer, deceased. Levy made and returned to me by J. C. Williams, lawful constable of Lumpkin county.

J. M. DAVIS, Sheriff.

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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, GA., JUNE 9, 99.

Porter Springs hotel will open in a few days.

Send for the NUGGET if you want all the county news.

The Davis bridge pillars were completed last week.

Turnips retailed here at \$1.20 per bushel this week.

Our merchants all seem to be doing a good business.

Sheriff Davis made a business trip to Gainesville this week.

The NUGGET finds its way to every corner of the soldier boys in Cuba.

The old students came in from every direction this week and all had a nice time.

Dr. Ham and lady, of Gainesville, were among the many visitors here this week.

Bro. Thomas, of the Dawsonville Advertiser, took in the commencement this week.

The commencement is over and the next thing on the program is the Dahlonega camp meeting.

Bring your produce to Dahlonega. We must have something for the miners to eat while they dig the gold.

Z. T. Castleberry, President of the First National Bank at Gainesville, was up on a visit to his brother this week.

Interesting services were held at Pleasant Ridge church last Sunday, no disturbance occurring in any manner.

The other day a negro out on Cavender's Creek killed a wild turkey hen having several young ones. There is some talk of prosecuting him.

S. F. McDonald was wedded to Miss Mamie Seitz in Davis' district a few days ago. Rev. John Parks of Dawson county, performed the ceremony.

Deputy Collector Bruce Crawford came up last Sunday to attend commencement and see whether any of the blockade runners needed any attention.

There is some talk now of Mr. Baldwin building his railroad from Gainesville to Dahlonega now. Let her come. We don't care how many railroads we get.

The board of education held a special session last Saturday to determine who should teach the school at Oak Grove—Miss Harris or Mr. Lance. Miss Harris was selected.

A little boy of Nancy Pinion died in Davis' district one day last week, quite likely for the want of attention. The mother lives in a little pole cabin and is very poor and has but little to eat.

Col. Baker fell into one of the holes dug for a telephone post the other day down on the street leading to his house. Notwithstanding the fact that he had often sang, "I long to be there," you ought to have seen how quick he climbed out of that hole.

First of next month M. J. Williams & Son will close out their business and M. G. Head will occupy their stand with a full and complete line of general merchandise. In the early fall Messrs. Williams & Son will open up two stores, one in Dahlonega and the other at Gaddistown. In Dahlonega they will deal in general groceries alone.

Heretofore the college commencement badges have been printed here at home, but this time the boys decided to have the work done in Gainesville, not that it could be done cheaper but just for a change, and the result was a big mistake in them. Instead of having the word "college" they had "society." The boys are very much like the little fellow who climbed after the bird's nest, got their shirt tails torn. We would have printed all they would have wanted just as they went without any error for a dollar.

Lost.—A ladies' cloak. The finder will please return it to this office and be rewarded.

Turnips sold in Dahlonega this week at \$1.20 per bushel. Don't you wish that you was a tiller of the soil?

Some of our citizens are going to take the advice of the NUGGET and put up a lot of nice comfortable cottages to rent.

If church members' prayers are answered we don't see how it is that they have neglected to call for rain when vegetation is needing it so badly.

The thermometer has been ranging at 90 in the shade this week, which does pretty well for hot weather here for the opening of June.

The grasshoppers have appeared in Shoal Creek district, similar to those which used to appear in the West, being very destructive to the corn.

R. C. Thomson, secretary and treasurer of the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. is now a permanent citizen of Dahlonega. We extend to the gentleman and his family a hearty welcome.

We now have a sample head or two of that excellent wheat grown by A. J. Ash, mention of which was made last week. It is fine and almost causes us to wish that we were a farmer.

Heretofore the bud worms have been giving the farmers much trouble but we think that the sample of warm weather we have had for the past few days will sweet them under the collar so that they will have to disappear to some pleasant clime.

If you want to keep up with the local news subscribe for the NUGGET. We give it without any whitewashing whatever—are not running a Sunday School paper, if we did we would have to get our support from —. Well we may tell you some time later.

Jess Satterfield, an old Confederate soldier, called by to see us this week. We were not old enough to be in the war, and are glad that we wasn't for there was danger of being shot and if we had been you would not have been reading the NUGGET to-day, but we are always glad to meet up with one of these old soldiers who fought for the cause which they believed to be right. Four years ago Jess got a lick on the head during a difficulty which has never healed up, which may yet cause his death.

The railroad question is now getting interesting and it may be that the electric line will be built to Lula instead of Gainesville as the former place seems to be more anxious for the line than the latter and the citizens in that settlement are offering better inducements and it will pay the company better if the citizens of Banks and Franklin counties wake up to a sense of their duty and strike while the iron is hot. We prefer the road being built to Lula or Belton simply because it will pay the company better and another thing because the citizens up that way want it and Gainesville doesn't. We do not care to make our appearance either by steam or electricity to a place where we are not wanted. It's true that a railroad to Dahlonega from any point would injure Gainesville, but we are not looking after her interests—she has been cock of the walk long enough and we want old Dahlonega—the garden spot of the world—to do a little strutting. Mr. D. T. Quillen, a man who does no child's work, was here this week to see Mr. Adams, the President of the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co., a gentleman who has already proven by his good, practical and wise acts that he means nothing but business, and offered him such inducements as to cause him to make a trip out into that section—such inducements as will cause the road to go that way if the people of Banks county are willing to lend a helping hand. What say you over that way, gentlemen?

Will Price moved into his new residence last week.

Always speak a word for Dahlonega when an opportunity is offered.

Chickens just large enough to make gravy sold here this week like hot cakes at good prices.

Dahlonega has been alive with visitors this week all of whom we would like to mention if we had the space.

A fellow was offered eight cents cash for eggs here a few days ago but he would take them to Gainesville and only got seven and a half.

B. R. Meaders returned from Swainsboro last Saturday. He had never seen that section at this season of the year is why he went down. He is highly pleased with the country.

Farmers, bring your produce to Dahlonega. You can get better prices for most of it than you can in Gainesville. Don't sell your dried pumpkin and "leather breeches" here and carry off your choice produce down there.

Mingo, a full blooded Spaniard from White county, came down to Dahlonega this week. He didn't come to create war, but had nothing in view except to attend the commencement exercises. Come again. All are welcome in Dahlonega.

Smith Bros. of Porter Springs, are preparing to increase their mercantile business. They are going to repair their house right away and carry a much larger stock than heretofore. Keep an eye out for their ad. which will appear soon.

Postmaster Bart of Birtsboro, was in the city this week. We take pleasure in stating that no complaint has ever come from his office of any irregularity in the delivery of the NUGGET. He is a sober, business gentleman, fully competent to transact anything he undertakes.

It is gratifying to us to state that the country people have taken more interest in the commencement this year than they ever did before. The hall couldn't near accommodate the people who wished to attend the exercises, showing that our educational interests are growing.

We had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Coleman this week who represents the Virginia Bridge Company. He had just completed the Davis bridge. The company he represents has constructed three bridges in Lumpkin county which proves that it does work better and cheaper than any other company.

The tax receiver is still receiving tax returns though the roads have closed, and being determined to comply with law as near as possible and not wishing to double tax any one, he is hoping that all will return before he has to begin making out his digest. He requests us to state that Justices of the Peace who have not yet complied with the law in furnishing a list of tax payers in their districts will please forward same to him at once. The work of consolidation will begin soon after the 15th inst.

Several of our subscribers at New Bridge have been complaining about not getting their papers regularly. Up to this time we have closed our lips and said nothing, but we can do so no longer. Our business is being injured and we have got to speak. We regret it because the one who is looking after the office down there is one of our warmest friends. Now to the point. A son-in-law of Mr. A. S. Wheelchel, whose name we have forgotten, is the postmaster. The office is located at Mr. Wheelchel's store, and we are told that the postmaster lives some distance this side and never sees the office more than once or twice a week. Mr. Wheelchel is a bondsman and looks after the office but keeps so full of liquor that he can't see straight, and often outsiders are called in or go in and help to distribute the mail.

Local matter will be found on 4th page.

The mail was more than an hour and a half late last Friday.

Miss Rosy Hope, of Gainesville, was here on a visit this week as the guest of Mrs. Stephen Rice.

Merchant M. J. Williams tells us that he is going to build two cottages to rent on his property on Murray's Heights.

Rev. J. B. Brown informs us that he has a chicken with six spurs.—The shortest being one inch and the longest one and a half inches.

The people of Gainesville see that the chances are good for Dahlonega to get a railroad and of course they want it built to that place.

Mr. Woodson has the contract to build the telephone line from Dahlonega to Porter Springs and will put it up as soon as he completes the one from here to Gainesville.

Editor McIntosh, of the Albany Herald, has been several days looking after some mineral property which he owns in this county, being the first visit he has made us in about two years.

Workmen are now engaged on the new building for the Signal office. When completed Dahlonega will have two papers pretty close together on Clarksville street where we can exchange ideas at short range.

All our merchants seem to be doing a prosperous business—more so than common this year. One reason, they have got to advertising in the NUGGET. It pays to advertise, especially in a paper that is read by all classes.

Capt. F. M. Williams' cow went off into the country the other day some three miles from town and got into the stock law range where she was taken up, costing the owner about \$2.00. The Captain says that he will not have a cow that will go to the stock law section, and it is quite likely that this one will be for sale.

The main street foot bridge is very much decayed and in a dangerous condition. It should have been put in good fix some time ago but our city fathers have been neglecting it year after year and still continue to do so. One of the best mechanics in the town, who has no interest in it whatever, except as a large tax payer, says that it is dangerous and should receive prompt attention or else it may cost the town several hundred dollars in a damage suit one of these days.

No one will dispute the fact that Lumpkin county needs a larger court house. One of our large tax payers suggests the idea that an addition could very easily be made to the old one in the way of an el on the lower side sufficiently large to give the judge a private room, two rooms for the special juries, besides ample accommodations for all the county officers and a vault for the safe keeping of all the valuable records and papers. He says that this addition would strengthen the old structure and not cost a great deal either considering its importance. Let the ordinary and future grand jury give this important matter more than a passing thought.

Capt. Hall has been forced by the town authorities to move his Dock House and fence, fill up the well and dig a new one because they were partially on the street like many others in Dahlonega. This change has cost the Captain a considerable sum of money and he is feeling "sore" over the matter because others are not treated likewise. Why they should pick him out as a target he can't understand when other people build fences, rock walls and even houses on the streets and not a word is uttered against it. If it is the law it is not complied with and they go right ahead as if they owned the streets. We can't see why all are not treated alike in this matter. Justice should be done though the heavens fall.

It seems that the town was turned over to the boys last Tuesday night who yellean until their throats were sore.

There seemed to be a good deal of blockade liquor in town this week causing some of the boys to get happy.

Friends, if you don't receive your paper regularly let us know, more especially if you have neighbors who borrow it. We want them to get it sure.

Prof. J. W. Boyd, a former citizen of Dahlonega, but now of Young Harris, visited his relatives here this week. We are always glad to have a call from an old Dahlonega boy.

Al Roberts and his son Charley, after a considerable delay were fined the usual sum one dollar and trimmings for their little Sunday "sport" which occurred some time ago.

And still monied men from distant states are coming here to inspect our mineral resources which in nearly every instance results in them making an investment. Let others do likewise.

In the rush this week we can't help stopping long enough to mention the appearance of our old friend T. S. Littlefield, of Gainesville. He is now doing a prosperous business in that city.

Last Sunday a week ago they had the usual fight in Frogtown district by parties who decided to serve the devil instead of the Lord. Well, the district is not incorporated and they can have all the fun they want up that way.

H. W. Harper, who recently moved from Hall county to Half Way in Lumpkin, made this office a pleasant and profitable call this week. He is engaged in the shingle business, having already filled some orders here in Dahlonega to the entire satisfaction of the purchasers. To all such gentlemen we extend a hearty welcome.

It was a pleasure to us this week to meet so many of the old students. Many of them who left here years ago while beardless boys have long since grown up to manhood and are now filling responsible positions—their faces had so changed that we didn't recognize them. The gates of Dahlonega are always thrown open to these old students.

Last Wednesday a number of the school boys before their departure rode about over the streets singing "If I could stand where Moses stood," at the same time beating a drum. We guess any of the boys would look a little awkward on that rock as Moses had no drum, that is if our memory serves us right. They all wore sad faces for there are few people that ever come to Dahlonega but what regret to leave the place.

W. H. Courtney paid our office a pleasant visit this week. Mr. Courtney is one of our warmest friends who ably represented this district in the senate some years ago, and we never fail to vote for him when an opportunity is offered. He is a live, progressive gentleman, not too stingy to take his home or district paper, which is more than we can say of some others who have been elected to responsible positions. A man who is not willing to help sustain a home institution is not expected to have much influence abroad.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to our many friends who have favored us with their patronage this week. We will endeavor to make the NUGGET a welcome visitor to your households. It is you who are enabling the editor to get out such a paper that you say you feel proud of. Without your support it would go down. Some times we may have occasion to mention some of your names in a manner which you may not like, but it is not because we have an ill feeling towards you but it is because we feel disposed to give the news as promised less than three years ago and we mean to carry out our promise, that is if we keep our health.

John T. Grindle died in Frogtown district one day last week of dropsy.

Henry McCrary, a Hall county farmer, furnished some of our citizens here this week with green beans at 25 cents per gallon.

Mrs. Fannie Hatfield, who has been spending some months here with her parents, left for her home in Monticello last Wednesday.

Visitors, in looking around don't forget to invest one dollar in the NUGGET. It will tell you something which may be beneficial to you.

Hon. Dan Davis seems to have plenty of snakes out his way. He told us the other day that he had killed four pilots in his garden this season.

We are glad to state that the health of Uncle Goodman Hughes is improving, though he is very feeble and is liable to drop off at any time.

Cobb Grindle, residing in Frog Town district, had 80 panells of fencing destroyed by fire last week. Parties had better be careful about putting out fire at this season of the year, as it is a violation of law.

Judge Tate informs us that his resister shows that the distance from here to Gainesville is only twenty-one and one eighth of a mile by Neisler's Ford, the telephone route. The other roads in the county will be measured at once.

Last Monday night at the coils lego a false alarm of fire was given so we understand, causing a rush to the exit. One fellow ran off of the high wall near the building causing him to get a right lively shake up, injuring the finger on which was ornamented with his girl's ring.

Deputy Collector Crawford and Deputy Marshal Grizzle went down into Dawson county this week and destroyed two illicit coppers. A lady drew a gun on them but fortunately she didn't pull the trigger. Oh how kind the ladies are—so thoughtful as not to shoot a harmless man.

Postoffice inspector Terrell of Atlanta, was here this week and went to the postoffice and discharged his official duties, finding everything all right except the arrival of the mails, which have been behind most all this week on account of being loaded down with passengers and trunks and will continue to be behind schedule time just as long as contractors carry the mails so cheap and look to the public for patronage sufficient to make both ends meet. It seems that we can't help ourselves. We have made all the complaints that are necessary but it looks as if Uncle Sam has lost all control over the Gainesville and Dahlonega hack line.

It seems that Will Jones generally gets into trouble when he visits our college commencements, costing him some hard earned money. Last Monday, only two weeks from the time he had returned from Cuba where he had gone at the request of Uncle Sam out in that foreign country and caused quietude to reign, met up with John Green, one of the darkest varieties of negroes residing in Dahlonega, who being displeased with John's looks struck him with a pair of knucks, knocking a piece of bark from his head about the size of a quarter of a dollar, but not injuring his box of knowledge in the least. John being dissatisfied with his loss swore out a warrant and put it in the hands of Marshal Blackwell for execution, who went over to the drill ground to arrest Jones, assisted by Will Rice, which resulted in Ed McDonald, a friend of Jones, interfering and also being arrested and both put in jail until the next morning when they entered a plea of guilt and were fined \$5.00 and cost and bound over to the Superior Court. During the excitement Jack Townsend held Will Rice, but as he seemed to be on a mission of peace the mayor gave him an honorable discharge.

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Stampeding For Gold.

"Stampeding" is the winter diversion of the gold hunters in Alaska. An old friend who went there last year to clean up a million is back with forty cents. In the first week of January a stampede took place from Dawson, down the Yukon, on which some 300 men and women started at midnight, some of them well-known and wealthy mine owners. Anyone with a dog or two and a sled and some provisions could go. After traveling all night those in the "know" held a council of war, at which it was decided that as there were more in the stampede than there were claims to stake, those who had brought only a few provisions should be starved out. Many returned to Dawson for more grub, and started out again. Many others got back to remain. The leaders then went on, but, having no trails, got lost in the snow. The goal was never reached. Some died. The rest beat a retreat to Dawson, arriving terribly frostbitten after a fruitless search. —New York Press.

J. J. Floyd, a prosperous negro shoemaker by trade, and one time body-servant of the late Alexander Stephens, has written a letter saying that "the lynching of negroes is not due to any hatred of the race but hatred of the crimes perpetrated by them." This should settle the matter.

Bad management keeps more people in poor circumstances than any other cause. To be successful one must look ahead and plan ahead so that when a favorable opportunity presents itself he is ready to take advantage of it. A little forethought will also save much expense and valuable time. A prudent and careful man will keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house, the slightest fellow will wait until necessity compels it and then ruin his best horse going for a doctor and have a big doctor bill to pay, besides; one pays but 25 cents, the other is out a hundred dollars and when windows why his neighbor is getting richer while he is getting poorer. For sale by F. W. Hall Mds Co.

Mr. Mills-McNeel recently sold two three-year-old colts for \$800, one for \$500 and one for \$300. This shows that there is money in raising colts.

Your Cold Cured for 5c.
Get Dr. Miles' Laxative Cold Cure.

Lightning's Queer Freak.

A bolt of lightning played a curious prank during the thunder storm in Murphy Sunday evening. Standing about thirty yards from the residence occupied by F. A. Gennet is a pine tree, to which is attached one end of a clothes line. The wire runs from this tree to another, thence to the side of the house, where it is fastened to the window casing with a large spike. After striking the tree and splitting and ripping the bark up considerably, the bolt followed the wire the entire distance, and at the end where attached to the house, it tore the window casing loose and otherwise damaged the weather boarding. Mr. Gennet had been sitting by the window reading, and had only a few moments before the flash came left, thus narrowly escaping at least a severe shock, if not a fatal accident.

The Undertaker's Tax.

State Treasurer Worth, in answer to inquiries makes the following ruling on the section of the Revenue act imposing a license tax on undertakers: "The definition of an undertaker is 'one who takes charge of and manages funerals.' You can manufacture all the coffins that will be necessary for your county, and not be subject to a license tax as an undertaker unless you 'manage funerals.' It does not at all apply to carpenters or shop men who can deal at whole sale or retail without being liable to license tax as an undertaker. Even a dealer in coffins is not liable to license tax unless he manages funerals."

Useless Information.

A single bee collects only about a tablespoonful of honey during a season.

A blind bat avoids wires and obstructions as easily as if it could see perfectly.

The best watchmakers' oil comes from the jaw of the shark. About half a pint is found in each fish.

The egg of the queen bee is about one-sixteenth of an inch long, and as large round as a fine cambric needle.

The goldfish is a great coward, and a tiny fish with the courage to attack it can frighten it almost to death.

Mrs. Best, who killed herself in New York the other day, was one of the coolest suicides on record. She was reading a novel when her husband entered the room. "I have taken poison," she told him and went on reading. He informed some women in the house of the condition of affairs and went out for aid. The women went to Mrs. Best's room and began crying. The dying woman braced herself up and in the very coolest manner said: "What is the use of you people carrying on like that? I took the poison, not you, and I did it because it suited me; you have got nothing to cry about. Now, if you have only a little time left, and if you go on yelling this way you'll have to get out, for I won't stand it." The crying women whipped their eyes and hushed, the ambulance came, the patient was taken to the hospital and soon died.

Mr. P. Ketcham of Pike City, Cal., says: "During my brother's late sickness from scitile rheumatism, Chamberlain's Pain Balm was the only remedy that gave him any relief." Many others have testified to the prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords. For sale by F. W. Hall Mds Co.

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An Incident in Porto Rico.

Henry Watterson, Jr., is stopping at the Ebbitt, says the Washington post. He is a fine, manly young fellow, frank and generous-hearted, such as would be expected from the son of his illustrious father. He enlisted in the First Kentucky as a private, disdaining to use influence to obtain shoulder straps. He took part in the Porto Rican campaign and came out a corporal.

"Gen. Henry has told the public about everything worth hearing concerning Porto Rico," he said last night. "Still, there are some things which one sees in a trip about the island that are left out of a report, no matter how exhaustive. Now, what struck me most during the campaign and the subsequent stay were two things, the young ladies and the fleas. Nearly every young man will look at a girl, and as for the fleas, well—they force themselves upon you. The insects are every where, and the visitor from the states is apt to be driven frantic with their persistent attentions. The islanders, however, take them as a matter of course.

"Imagine yourself talking to a dreamy-eyed brunette. You see a sort of twitch in her movements. An anxious look comes over her countenance. She raises the hem of her skirt slightly—you are supposed to see nothing. There is a kind of snapping sound, and the young lady raises up with a look of triumph upon her face. Oh, the Porto Rican girls are great flea catchers."

Facts of Real Interest.

There are 17 metals more valuable than gold.

Out of every three persons struck by lightning two recover.

In Italy there are 600,000 people engaged in silkworm rearing.

The right hand, which is more sensitive to the touch than the left, is less sensitive than the latter to the effect of heat or cold.

Pistols were first used by the British cavalry in the middle of the sixteenth century, the first revolving chambered pistol being invented 300 years later.

The work performed by the human body in a day, in circulating the blood, breathing, and other involuntary processes, is equal to that of 22 horsepower for one minute.

Farmers and housewives will be greatly interested in the claim of a St. Paul electrician, who says he has devised a way to preserve eggs "in an edible condition," by enclosing them. He first places the eggs where he can exhaust the air from about them and from within them. Taking them from this vacuum he next paints them with an air-proof composition. Afterward he places the painted eggs in a barrel of water and passes through them a current strong enough to destroy any germ life within them.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me. I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. Respectfully, Mrs. Mary A. Beard, Claremore, Ark. Sold by F. W. Hall Mds Co.

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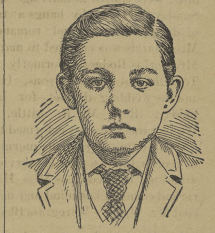
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DAHLONEGA, JUNE 16, '99.

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A New York woman proposes to ride a bicycle 500 miles in 50 hours.

Enlisting men for service in the Philippine Islands has already commenced.

Seven thousand tons of supplies will be shipped to Manila at once by Uncle Sam.

The Gainesville team got defeated in a game of ball by the Maysville boys by 11 to 6.

Fitzsimmons gets \$35,381 for receiving a whipping while his antagonist receives only \$27,581.

James J. Jefferey, came out from the West and whipped Bob Fitzsimmons in a champion fight Friday night and is now champion of the world.

Reports from Manila tell of four thousand insurgents being driven from their trenches by Americans last Sunday, but they fought desperately before retreating.

A farmer near Waycross, Ga., killed a cow the other day which had a \$75 gold watch in her alimentary canal. It is said that the watch ceased running as soon as the cow was killed.

A thief recently entered a church at Donaldsonville, La., and stripped the altar of all its ornaments and appurtenances, breaking and desecrating such were not considered of sufficient value to carry away.

Lumpkin county is to furnish the 32nd district's next senator, and the many friends of ex-sheriff, John M. Brooksher, are grooming him for the race. John is fairly well known in Dawson county and would run a winning race.—Dawsonville Advertiser.

The treatment which Sam Holt received at the hands of a mob recently don't seem to be any warning to the rest of his colored brethren. They continue their outrageous conduct, all of whom—either white or black—should receive like reward, except in a milder form, for such conduct.

Dr. W. S. Baldwin, the Georgia physician who has been serving a time in the penitentiary for the murder of young Edson in Bullock county some years ago, has been paroled by the governor. It will be remembered that the doctor created a sensation a few months ago marrying a pretty little school marm of Fitzpatrick, who since the marriage has been living with the doctor's folks in Georgia. The governor, in granting the parole, does so on the condition that Baldwin leave the state, never again to make his residence here.

Miss Maggie Harris, of Kite Ga., and Mr. Tom Ward, of Tennille, were united in marriage last Sunday, and thereby hangs a tale of disappointment and romance. Miss Harris was engaged to marry Mr. Carlos Rodgers, formerly of Tennille, but now of Lyons, Ga., and the wedding day set for last Friday. Rev. M. R. Little, of Wadley was to have performed the ceremony, but during the morning he received notice that his services would not be needed, as Miss Harris had changed her mind and married Mr. Ward.—Wiregrass Blade.

Lee Patrick, the negro who assaulted Mrs. Ida Saine, in Dawson county some four months ago was captured one night last week in Gainesville by Chief Police Smith. Patrick admitted his guilt, so says the Eagle, and realizes that there is trouble ahead for him. Mr. and Mrs. Saine have since moved to Ducktown, Tenn., but offered \$25 for the negroes arrest, and will be on hand at the proper time. The Governor also offered a reward of \$100 for the negro. The negro was carried to Dawsonville in three hours, a distance of 22 miles by Chief Smith, but one of his horses liked to baye died from the rush.

Mining Notes.

The number of stockholders of the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. is 300.

Strangers visit Dahlonega nearly every day inspecting our mining interests.

Some miners left first of the week to prospect property near the Jones mine in White county. Capt. W. H. McAfee is still taking options on mineral property for the British Georgia Gold Mining Co.

The Crescent stamp mill has resumed work again crushing ore which makes the plates look interesting to all parties concerned in its progress.

J. F. Moore had a pin put to a nugget of gold this week weighing ten and a half dwts, which was discovered on Tan Yard branch.

Don't that all the mineral property in this section has either been sold or optioned for it is a mistake. There is yet more which can be purchased reasonably.

Down at the Lockhart they commenced to pump the water that has been standing in the deep shaft for quite a while, last Friday with a new pump and hope to be able to finish draining it this week.

Hands are now engaged in cleaning out the Rock House vein and a portion of the old Ivy cut. Arrangements have also been made by Capt. F. W. Hall with the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co., for a sufficient amount of water to clean out the old Bast cut in order to expose the large amount of refractory ore in the same.

First of last week Henry Whitaker discovered a rich vein in the road near his house close to the colored Methodist church in the edge of town. Since then he and Dock Irvin have been taking the ore out and having it hauled to the mill. It is about six inches and shows much gold in the ore and is easy to take out. The property belongs to the A. G. Wimpy estate which may change hands within the next few days.

At the Hand work is moving right along in a lively manner, grading roads, taking out ore, etc. A large force of hands has been added this week and everything down there presents a lively appearance. A new eight foot tunnel was commenced this week and a hand drill which cuts an inch a minute in solid rock has been added which enables them to get rid of the stone in a very rapid manner, requiring only one man to operate it. And besides the second large tunnel being out, is two six foot ones. One to strike the McAfee vein and the other is to cut the Grizzle lead. All three of these tunnels were started this week.

A very valuable vein was discovered a few days ago on property belonging to the estates of Joe and John Hatfield, a few miles above Dahlonega, on the same lead and within three fourths of a mile of the rich deposit found on the Young Grindle property recently by Thomas Bensley and son. Many years ago Joe Hatfield, one of the owners of the land, now deceased, went to California to seek his fortune. Little did he think then of owning as good a mine right at home as most of those discovered in that distant state. Had he not been carried away through excitement he might have been alive to day enjoying this rich discovery, for he injured his health and had to return to his native county in '61 but very little better off than when he went away, and died the third day after he arrived home.

The British-Georgia Corporation, which two years ago looked into our mineral wealth has reappeared on the scene with \$1,000,000 behind it. John H. Crawford, the general business manager of the company, a capitalist of London, and owner of large mining interests in Australia, who has been here for several weeks visiting, with Mr. Mayne, nearly all of the mining properties which the company is interested in, and a number of others in operation, expresses himself with regard to the mining possibilities of this state, as being

satisfied. He says further that it is his opinion that many of the properties he has seen would justify and repay extensive outlay for development and machinery. If operations were conducted in a systematic manner, and with the first object of proving the country at a depth. Other interests than these have engaged his attention with an equally satisfactory result. Mr. Crawford left Gainesville last Saturday evening for New York. From there he sailed for London. Mr. Crawford will make a favorable report to his company on reaching London and will return here with his family in July prepared to equip and develop many of his mines. He will engage in deep mining from the start. While here he has purchased and secured control of about 25,000 acres of lands lying in Hall, Lumpkin and White counties. He has engaged office rooms in the Dean building which will be the headquarters for the British-Georgia company. Mr. Crawford is a thorough-going business man who favorably impresses everyone he meets.—Eagle.

The Railroad.

It is thought the branch railroad from Ball Ground on the A. K. & N. extending up into the marble beds along the Long Swamp valleys in Pickens county will be completed and operated over its full length within the next thirty days. The work is pushed with all possible haste. Some greater credence is put in the reports current to the effect that the road is to be extended east via Dawsonville and Dahlonega to a connection with the Airline or some other road by reason of some reconnaissance of "horseback surveys" of the country through which the prospective road it is supposed will be built. There is a great field along the proposed route—a gap full of untold wealth and possibilities—for a railroad to be made a fine dividend producer and at the same time do great work towards developing one of the richest sections in point of natural advantages of any in the state.—Cherokee Advance.

Students Who Received License to Teach.

Last week the following students of the N. G. A. College received license to teach any where in Georgia:

B. G. Parks.
R. L. Johnson.
V. O. Kimsey.
N. G. Keith.
J. O. Lance.
Miss Birdie Meaders.
Miss Lizzie O'Kelley.
W. T. Townsend.
J. V. Arrendale.
Miss Carrie Anderson.
D. T. Barnes.
Miss Jennie Byers.
O. J. Coogler.
V. R. Hicks.
Miss Lula Higgins.
Miss Mattie Harris.
Miss Mattie Moore.
N. H. Maddox.
Miss Julia Olion.
Miss Nancy Pierce.
J. C. Stewart.
Miss Oma Wheelchel.
F. C. Stamey.
Utah Anderson.
N. H. Barksdale.
N. G. Banister.
Miss Anna Sutton.
Miss Mayona Wheelchel.

Total 30 Eight receiving first grade, seventeen second and five third.

The price of egg has fell to a point where a country editor can have a mess or so occasionally—ten cents per dozen.

The British house of commons has declared that hereafter women shall be eligible for positions as aldermen and councilmen in the city of London.

A new hand went down to the Hand to work the other day. Soon afterwards he lit a cigarette and Mr. Burns, the boss, told him that he had brought along the wrong kind of a tool to work with. They disagreed at once.

Fully sixty Americans were killed in the hottest engagement last Tuesday since the war began in the Philippines.

At Stevens Point, Wis., last Monday night 250 persons were killed by a fearful cyclone. And other towns and villages in that state were completely carried away.

The jury in the case of the negro Grant Bell charged with assaulting Mrs. J. H. Lumpkin, returned a verdict of not guilty. Jury was not satisfied with Mrs. Lumpkins identification.

At an election held in New Orleans the other day for the issuing of \$3,000,000 of sewer bonds, won voted for the first time. Twenty eight hundred exercised their right under a recent law.

Floods in Texas last week caused loss of life and a great destruction to property. Entire district along the Colorado river was swept by the raging torrents without notice on account of the streams rapid rise.

People were so anxious to get to Porter Springs that they could hardly wait until this favorite summer resort opened, in fact some couldn't as nine went up last Tuesday, two days before the opening of the hotel.

Two negroes were lynched at Dunnellon, Fla., last Monday night by a mob of their color and nine others would have been lynched had the sheriff's posse not arrived in time to save them. They had drowned a negro.

Wednesday's mail brought the information that Lieut. F. L. S. Price, who was on his way to the Philippines, had reached Honolulu, together with 2,100 other soldiers and not a single accident had occurred.

There were nineteen fatal cases of sunstroke in New York last Friday. The mercury ranging at about 98 degrees. At Columbus S. C., it reached 102 and the New port News shipyard's workmen were compelled to stop work.

A woman was arrested in Dalton last week for being rigged up in man's attire, but turned loose without any punishment. She seemed to have a curiosity in seeing what was going on in the world and did this to see if she could find out any thing new.

Dr. Capers, who has been up at Cleveland for some three or four months, acted in such a manner as to cause his arrest on a warrant for lunacy. Col. Price, at the request of one of his brothers, went up Wednesday to look after him, when the Colonel reached there he had been carried to North Carolina charged with forgery.

Last Tuesday the town of Herman, Neb., of about 300 inhabitants, was swept out of existence by a cyclone. Not a single house is left. And at Richmond, Wis., the same day fully 100 people were killed, twice as many mangled people, forty acres of piles of brick, shivered plank, scattered heaps of household goods, dead horses through which the wind had driven splinters of boards.

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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, GA., JUNE 16, '99.

And still they come—we mean new subscribers.

Mrs. Laura Ellis, of Murphy, N. C., spent several days here last week with her sister, Mrs. M. J. Williams.

The new and beautiful school house for the whites is completed and the graded school will open on the first of September.

Last Friday J. F. Moore purchased the town lot owned by his brother John on Crane's Hill, on which he will put two comfortable cottages to rent.

It may be that B. R. Meaders will sell out his town property in a few days to the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co., and move to Swainsboro some time in the future.

J. C. Anderson, of Hoschton, Ga., spent several days here last week with relatives and friends, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Dora. Mr. Anderson will be a weekly reader of this paper hereafter.

Sent 25 cents and have the NUGGET sent to your place for three months and see how you like it. Eight cents a month for the news will neither injure you or burst you—we mean in a financial manner.

Uncle Bart Crane, of Dawson county, was in Friday. It is supposed that he came up to see if any one was sick and needed "just a little bit of medicine." Uncle Bart is an old coon and knows how to treat sick folks.

We turned out a lot of job work for Smith Bros. at Porter Springs this week. They are fixing to do a big business this summer. They mean to keep up with the prosperous march Dahlonega and Lumpkin county are making.

The town council met last Friday and made an additional assessment of 30 cents for the graded school—in all 70 cents on the hundred. This added to the state and county taxes will make about \$2 on the hundred for '99. This makes it interesting to live in town.

Up to Thursday night of last week the weather had been very dry for several weeks, causing the growing crops to begin to injure in this county considerably but since then we have had several big rains, causing the farmer to laugh and the manufacturer of brick to look sad.

Mr. R. Palmour, whose family has been here for some time—several of whom attended our college—came up and moved them back home to Dawson county last Friday, where they will remain until the fall session of the college begins. We would like to see Mr. Palmour become a permanent citizen of the Golden City.

The Old Students Association is going to prove to be an interesting organization, one which will always be largely attended and be the means of many of them visiting our town who would not otherwise come. Two hundred of them attended the banquet given them here last week, a number of whom had not been back to Dahlonega since they left the college.

Col. W. P. Price, of Dahlonega, writes to the Gainesville Eagle as follows in reference to a proposition he made to the Dahlonega Railroad Co.: "The statement you made in your last issue that I had donated, or given, what I own of the G. & D. R. R. to the newly proposed Electric Railway is partly correct. I have offered what I possess to the new company, provided it would complete the road to Dahlonega. The offer has not been accepted as yet, because it has not been decided whether the road will go to Gainesville or elsewhere. The acceptance of any offer for the road to go to Gainesville, The promoters of the new road do not wish to be forced to go anywhere. This note is merely to set the matter right."

Gordon Bart has moved up from Dawson county.

The bad worms have been very destructive to corn in this section.

Porter Springs hotel opened for the reception of visitors yesterday.

Build more houses for the people are coming to Dahlonega to locate.

Wash Waterfield was slightly injured by the fall of a cave at the Hand mine last Tuesday.

Its a little girl and put in its appearance down at assistant postmaster Price's Monday morning.

J. F. Castleberry has purchased the house and lot near the college from J. H. Moore, now occupied by D. M. Grizzle.

The NUGGET office is the place to get warranty deeds and option blanks and most any other kind of blanks neat and cheap.

Jewelry McGuire now has nine pistols in his shop for repairs. There is nothing like preparing for war in time of peace and getting ready for campmeeting.

The other day when Dock Marlow shot his gun a piece of the cap flew in his right eye, giving him much pain for awhile but fortunately not injuring the sight.

J. J. Marlow requests us to return thanks through the NUGGET to the physicians and many kind friends for rendering all the assistance in their power during his wife's sickness.

Last Sunday morning John Hatfield and young Bowen had a word or two when Hatfield flew at his antagonists' throat, gave a squeeze and a grin. Bowen coughed and the curtain fell and the performance closed.

Prof. E. B. Vickery and family leave this morning for their old home in Hart county where he will remain for a few days, from whence he goes to attend the summer term of the University of Chicago. Prof. O. Palmour will also take a past graduate course at the same school this summer.

We saw one old time boy last week who had a June bug tied by the leg. O, how much more money parents used to save when there were no bicycles and children could play and enjoy themselves with these bugs just as well, without any danger of a single accident—the high and the low being on the same footing.

Bell Burdell, a colored woman having the best set of lungs of any one in Dahlonega, either man or woman, sat out in her home porch in the northern edge of town until a late hour Saturday night training her voice to be ready for Sunday purposes, and sang so loud that it attracted the attention of persons in the other end of town, some of whom not being used to hearing old time vocal music, made complaint to the marshal for having been disturbed. The marshal caused the woman to appear before the mayor, but as the one who complained didn't want to come into court, and no one could be found who would swear that they were disturbed, the mayor didn't even docket the case but remarked that it was better for a woman to be at home singing than off with their sweethearts.

Death has again visited our town and carried away another good woman, being Mrs. J. J. Marlow, who departed this life on Monday afternoon last after a lingering illness of more than twelve months, leaving a husband, five daughters and three sons and a host of friends to mourn her loss. Mrs. Marlow was born in Union county, Ga., March 17, 1835. She joined the M. E. church at Gaddistown when only seventeen years of age and lived a consistent member up to her death. After leaving Union county she moved her membership to the church at Dahlonega. Her remains were laid to rest in Mt. Hope cemetery at 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the presence of many sorrowing friends. The funeral services were conducted by Revs. Edwards, McAfee and Parks.

Spare the English sparrows for they destroy the potato bugs.

Yellow cotton brought four cents in Dahlonega last Saturday.

Rev. Thomas K. Hughes, of Blairsville, came over this week.

Mrs. Marion Moose, of Picken county, is here on a visit to her relatives.

Mrs. T. F. Jackson went out to Ellijay this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Briffington.

Last Sunday's drenching rain must have drowned out all the potato bugs for we have not seen a single one since.

Thousands of feet of lumber, being used here is hauled from the city of Gainesville, a distance of twenty-five miles.

The leaves on most of the apple trees were turning yellow before the rain which showed that they were injuring badly.

At the annual meeting of the board of trustees of the N. G. A. College Prof. Oscar Palmour was made full professor of the chair of history.

At reduced prices you will find at J. F. Moore's ladies and childrens summer shoes, mens tan shoes, and straw hats. Also a full line of valises, trunks, etc.

A colored girl over at Half Way in writing to her lover here in Dahlonega puts her return card on the envelopes. She is determined that no one at the dead letter office shall read them.

Mr. and Mrs. DuPree went to Gainesville to be present at the wedding of Miss Anna Comer, of that city, a sister of Mrs. DuPree, to a Mr. Quarles, of Washington City, which occurred this week.

John Mincy, of this county, was bound over the other day because all signs caused the Commissioner to believe that he had been running an illicit distillery which was recently destroyed near his premises.

Alonzo Peck, of Wahoo district, killed three of the largest snakes in his field one day last week that are rarely ever seen in this section. They were of the black variety and one measured over six feet in length.

Rev. W. G. Spencer has submitted his contract of building the Presbyterian church to I. C. Edwards who built the school house. This church was to have been completed the 15th inst., but only the pillars are done.

W. A. Sherrill, who left this place for Central America some four years ago, arrived in Dahlonega last Wednesday, in company with his brother Geo. S. Sherrill, who has also been mining out in that country. Of course they are not pleased with that section or they would not have been here this week.

It seems that it is much cheaper to let the public school houses out by contract than to hire the work done, as they generally cost twice as much if not more when not contracted. To show that we are correct, the one out at Oak Grove was contracted for \$15, while the one at Pleasant Ridge cost more than \$50.

The tax receiver says that none of the Justices have yet furnished him with a list of voters as the law directs and he will be unable to double tax but few if any tax defaulters. The law makes it their duty to do so but there is no penalty nor pay attached. The law will have to be amended before this is ever carried out.

The postmaster at Dahlonega received the new schedule for the Porter Springs mail route this week which is going to cause the contractors on the Gainesville and Dahlonega line trouble unless they move up and come in on time. The mail is not to depart from Dahlonega to Porter until after the arrival of the Gainesville mail, not to be later than 5:30 p. m. The Gainesville mail has often been getting in an hour late, and when the Porter carrier leaves at 5:30 without any mail a few times the daily carriers will be troubled.

You will find plenty of shingles for sale at J. F. Moore's.

The Morganton mail failed to put in its appearance last Monday on account of the rain and some swollen streams, we suppose.

While R. T. Quillian, of Holt county, was here the other day he secured a large bill of lumber to saw for the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co.

Mr. Jess Alman and lady, after spending several days here with relatives and friends, departed for their home at Conyers first of the week.

J. W. Adams, president of the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co., and R. C. Thomson, secretary and treasurer of the same company, have their offices into the Bruce house.

The ordinance prohibiting bicycles from being rode on the sidewalks should be enforced or repealed. We often see boys and young men ring for even ladies to give the walk to them.

C. W. Sammerour, of Amicalola, gave us a pleasant and beneficial call the other day as he passed through going home. Charlie represents a large nursery and has received quite a number of orders in this county.

James Kirkham has been awarded the contract for moving the small house next to the Burnside House to rear end of the lot. The Burnside stables will also be moved from off the main street to back of lot. M. G. Head, the owner of the property, will begin the erection of a nice, comfortable residence soon.

The demand for lumber in Dahlonega is causing saw mills to be put all around us in order to supply the wants of those wishing to build. The last one built belongs to a Mr. Chambers. Although it is in the edge of White the distance is only about ten miles from Dahlonega which will save much lumber for this place.

Mary Postell, who was recently charged with bad conduct by her sister Julia, some time ago, is also in jail as well as the prosecutor, and it will not be hard to find their whereabouts unless they make another bond. Mary's bondsmen turned the latter over to the sheriff last Monday. Later—Julia was released on Tuesday.

A few nights ago two blacked men made their appearance at John Simmon's, who resides in Hightower district and annoyed the old man in such a manner as to cause him to suspicion something wrong. He sent for Miller Davis, his son-in-law, who appeared and being displeased with their appearance got the shot gun and they left out. Suspicion rests on two young men—one residing in the country and the other in Dahlonega.

A gentleman who was in town this week informed us that two boys some twelve or thirteen years of age broke into the postoffice at Quebec, in Union county one night last week and stole some stamps and other things. They were afterwards arrested and made a confession, after which they were bound over to the U. S. Court in Atlanta. One is a son of George Rider and the other belongs to Betsy Woody. The boys seem to be quite young to get into so much trouble.

Polk Anderson, of Lumpkin county, happened to a painful but not serious accident while working at the Hamby mine in White one day last week. He was working in the blacksmith shop when a spark of fire caught a dynamite which was lying near the furnace to which was fixed a fuse and cap ready to be carried to the mine for a blast, and blew the man out through the top of the house. It was first thought that he was dead when he fell back upon an investigation it was found that he was only injured in the head, being an ugly gash made by a spirit level which came in contact with it as they passed out together through the building. He was brought home and is getting along all right.

It is gratifying to see the improvements that are now going on in Dahlonega which shows that prosperity is abroad in the land.

Remember that you can get your goods just as cheap if not cheaper at the Consolidated Commissionery than any place in Dahlonega.

Our old friend Mr. Stuman, who has been living at Ducktown for some time, has returned to Dahlonega and gone to work for the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co.

James B. Witt, after an absence of eight months, in the employ of O. D. M. Gaddis, at Kingsman, Arizona, returned to Dahlonega last Saturday afternoon to book-keep for the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. Jim's many friends here are glad that he has returned to stay.

Last Friday we are told that a Dawson county blockader drove up to the court house in Dahlonega in broad open day light and carried a keg of liquor in the building and sold to all who wanted it. This is a pretty bold trick, especially of a man who is a non resident and has no interest in the building.

Roberts and Anderson have opened out an ice cream saloon in the building next to McGee's store where Jack Strickland will be found ready to deliver this delicious beverage to those not wishing to call, at all homes. It is not only good, but clean and fragrant, a blessing in disguise these hot days.

Joe Fitts' two little boys, lying down on the Chestatee river, catch from one hundred to one hundred and fifty fish in their baskets every morning, which they bring to town and readily sell them at ten cents per pound. This industry pays the little fellows well, clearly showing what boys can do by using a little energy.

A lady here last week from Murphy, N. C., passed quite a compliment on Mr. Bruce, our photographer. She said he did much better work than the one located in her city. The lady had quite a lot of work done here, stating that the photographer in her city only charged \$2.00 per dozen for photographs while Mr. Bruce charges \$3.00, but said that she had rather pay him \$5.00 than the other one \$2.00, his work being so much better.

Some time ago some of our local business men contracted for three months space in the NUGGET as an experiment. So profitable have been the results that they have since made a twelve months contract with us. Now we have not a single local ad in the paper for a less period. Some of the merchants have been advertising in the NUGGET ever since we have been running it—nearly three years. This is very gratifying to us. We endeavor always to make it beneficial to our patrons. It is our desire to help those who help us.

Yabooa district still stands in the lead in law suits, the last one being about a swingle-tree, causing Wash Walker to be arrested and Harris Postell to make leg bond. Bub Walker borrowed two swingle-trees, one from his father and the other from Fate Conner, another farmer living near by. Wash Walker after sending for his and it not being returned, was seen in the field where the swingle-trees were and it was supposed that he carried his home—his being on the plow stock. Fate Conner came for his. Harris Postell informed him that he had seen Wash Walker carry his (Conner's) off. Conner demanded if of Wash, who said that he had not touched it, resulting in a warrant being sworn out for Wash for larceny by Conner and a trial being had before the Justice. Postell swore to what he had stated but the Justice didn't believe his statement and Walker was acquitted. Then Wash Walker procured a warrant for Harris Postell, the witness, and he disappeared as before stated. Later.—The sheriff arrested Harris Postell Tuesday night and he is now in jail charged with carrying a pistol.

Every visitor to Dahlonega has something to say about her improvements.

Uncle Goodman Hughes, who has been quite low is a little better at this writing.

Col. R. M. Bryson and lady spent several days in Dawson county this week.

Nearly every day in Dahlonega attended the big meeting at Clevejau last Sunday. It was a rainy day but this made no difference. A sufficient amount of "meeting house drops" of the strong kind was near enough the church to wet the whistles of all who wished to make music. Only one difficulty occurring that we have learned, and that was between Alyena Coffee and John Myers, both of Dahlonega. There is nothing like going to church and enjoying yourself.

A lady and her husband came to town from the country one day last week for the first time. They came for the purpose of seeing and made a pretty thorough inspection. In passing Anderson's barber shop they discovered a man in the chair and the barber jangling his face for all there was in it. "Look there!" said the woman. They both stopped in front of the door and gazed in amazement. "What is he doing?" enquired the woman of her husband. "The man's sick, I reckon," was the reply. "Why, I didn't know they had any nigger doctors here," said the lady, and they passed on to see what else they could find out.

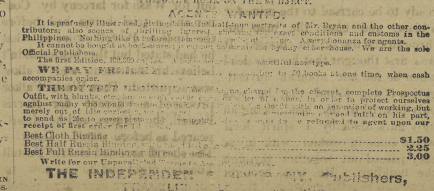
Dr. Simpson, who moved here from Ohio some time ago, has returned to his native home very much disappointed, if all reports are true. He came here anticipating a job from the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. Shortly after his arrival he commenced seeing into Capt. Ingersoll's private business, endeavoring to root him out and get the Captain's position as general manager of the company, but he got left—not even getting as much as a small plumb—and returned to Ohio this week feeling that he had made a big mistake in fooling with other people's business—therefore a much wiser man than he was before he came to Dahlonega. Capt. Ingersoll thoroughly understands his business and it would be a hard matter to get a man to fill his position. The people here all like him.

From what a person told us the other day some parties in the vicinity of Oak Grove are determined to break up this school because some trouble arose as to who should teach it. Some time ago it was the desire of the patrons, or a majority of them at least, that Miss Mattie Moore, of Jackson county, teach another school at that place and the board of education made a contract to that effect. Later on, before the time arrived for the beginning of the school, it was reported in that settlement that Miss Harris was going to return to Jackson county and would not teach. Then young Mr. Lance, a resident of Lumpkin, who was also attending the college here, was induced by his friends and relatives to make an effort to secure the contract. Some of the patrons who asked Miss Harris to teach heretofore signed Mr. Lance's petition, and the matter went before the board a few days ago in this manner—both teachers contending for the school, and the board refused to recind its action heretofore and Miss Harris got it. She already had license to teach, while Mr. Lance didn't but expected and did get them at commencement. It is well enough for the dissatisfied parties to know that the law does not allow the board of education to contract with any one not having license and it could not have done otherwise, even if a contract had not already been made, and patrons should not refuse to send their children to school and deprive them of an education simply through spite, especially when it is given to them free. Send your children along, build up all schools instead of trying to tear them down.

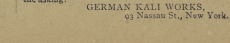
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Columbus street fair opens Nov. 6th and continues one week.

There were several inches of snowfall in the Sedal mountains, Europe, last week.

A federal recruiting officer is now in Chattahoochee getting up negroes to go to the Philippines.

Many houses were demolished and residents injured by a cyclone at Winona, Minn., last Saturday.

Tren Con, a negro prisoner now at Morro castle, Santiago, Cuba, boasts that he has taken 163 lives.

Last Saturday night a negro woman robbed Mayor Trammell's house in north Rome and then set fire to the building.

The Philippines are improving in their fighting and have reached such a point as to make it interesting to the Americans.

Congressman Richard P. Bland, the prominent Missouri Congressman and democratic leader died on Thursday of last week.

During a recent fight in the Philippine islands the insurgents loaded cannons with nails which tore our men frightfully.

Thousands of dollars worth of property was destroyed by a hail storm in the neighborhood of Fort Dodge, Iowa, last Saturday.

The first car of Georgia fruit was shipped from Tifton last Friday to New York. It contained 538 crates of peaches and plums.

The Ohio Society of California sent President McKinley an invitation the other day engraved on gold, asking him to be a guest of that organization in that city.

W. T. Robinson paid Dahlonega a business visit last Saturday. Bud has lived in fifteen or twenty miles of Dahlonega for near fifty years, but this is his first trip to the Golden City. He thinks there is a great and bright future for Dahlonega.—Dawsonville Advertiser.

Some of the friends of Col. O. J. Lilly, of Dahlonega, are speaking of putting a senatorial crown on this able young lawyer at the next election provided that he will consent to wear it. The Colonel is fully competent in every way to look after the whole interests of this senatorial district and act in a manner so as to be beneficial to other portions of the state.

Hon. Wm. J. Bryan will be at Gainesville on July 5th and speak on the political issues of the day. Other distinguished speakers will also be present; among those mentioned are Gov. Chandler, Senator Clay, Congressman Tate and Livingston, Flen duBignon, Editor Clark Howell, and others. A great crowd will be in Gainesville on that day from all northeast Georgia.

Between 7,000 and 8,000 applicants for license to teach in the common schools of the state stood an examination in the various counties yesterday. The standard was raised. The lowest license required an average of seventy five being for one year, an average of eighty two and a half, and ninety for the three years. The examination was considerably shorter than heretofore—ten questions being asked in each of the seven branches examined on.

The insurgents made an almost successful attempt to surprise the American forces at early dawn last Friday, being 5,000 strong. None of our men were killed but several wounded but will recover, while the enemy lost heavily. Since the Americans withdrew from Canababa recently, the rebels have returned and wreaked vengeance upon those who befriended the Americans. They slaughtered the natives who surrendered the town and displayed their heads on poles in the public square.

Mining Notes.

More than ninety hands are now engaged down at the Hand and others are being added as they are needed.

E. E. Crisson has a large force of hands employed in opening up the Ivey and prospecting on other properties.

We understand that the new mining company will put up a number of cottages for the laborers to live in as soon as lumber can be had.

We learn they have been going right ahead with their deposit mining down at the Calhoun ever since getting the large pump in working order.

This week Wash Jenkins and Joseph Ferguson discovered a very good gold bearing vein on Prof. W. S. Wilson's town property in the lower edge of the city.

Mr. Buttery, who has been at work for some time developing lot No. 1001, a short distance beyond Winnie's mill, struck a very valuable vein recently while cutting a tunnel.

The steam whistle at the Kentucky, better known as the Proucher, has been notifying the people by its shrill sound for more than a week that progress is the watch word over that way.

After they got the water out of the shaft at the Lockhart several blasts were put in the bed of ore promiscuously Wednesday and a large quantity of it blown out, some of the ore being so rich that you could stand off ten feet and see the gold in it.

In a few days the water in the Hand canal will be turned off and the same cleaned out clear to the head. It will require all the water the ditch can carry to run the machinery down at the Hand when completed. All the ore cars will be run by electricity.

At the last clean up at the Stewart mine they made 340 dwts. of clean gold from a run of nine days and nights by their five stamp mill. Since that time the ore has been getting much richer causing them to believe that they will double this amount at the next clean up.

Some gentlemen are here inspecting the iron ore which was discovered some years ago and pronounced by those who know that we have some as good magnetic ore as can be found anywhere and in sufficient quantities as to make it interesting to investors and to those wishing the construction of a railroad to our place. One of the gentlemen looking over the mineral fields of our county is a railroad man while the other represents the iron interests, who, we are satisfied find everything just as represented.

Mr. Scott and his assistants came in from Colorado Sunday night to put up the large chlorination plant for the Dahlonega C. G. M. C. They have been shown around the mines this week by Capt. Ingersoll and express their selves as being much pleased with the properties and the large show of ores they saw. Mr. Scott is a man of much experience in the mining business and when he has finished his work here the Dahlonega Consolidated can boast of having one of the best mills in this country if not the best.

We clip the following paragraph from Our Mineral Wealth, a paper published at Kingman, Arizona, which mentions valuable mineral property owned by our townsman, James B. Witt, as follows: J. B. Anderson, J. B. Witt and J. H. Knight are the owners of gold and copper properties in the foot hills near Java station, Cal., that promise to make them wealthy. The properties were worked in the sixties, long before the whistle of a locomotive was heard in the land, and abandoned on account of the great expense attached to the working them and getting the ore out. The copper is a high percentage and the gold ledge is large with an average that will pay big dividends. We are pleased to note this find, as the discoverer, J. B. Anderson, roamed the Blue Ridge of the Allegheny mountains about the same time we did when boys and has prospected the great

west long enough to be entitled to a stake. His parents are worthy people who deserve all the good things that come their way.

Atlanta Constitution: The owner of the Lond gold mine in White county, one of the richest and most productive mines in the state has presented the state geological department with a number of the specimens recently taken from his property. Within the past few weeks several large finds have been made at the Lond mine; at one place a bulk of free gold being taken out weighing eight pounds and shortly after in the same ledge of rock a bulk of gold crystals were discovered which weighed altogether a little over six pounds. To those who are of the opinion that there is no gold deposited in Georgia, specimens of recent finds in the Lond mine now on exhibition at the state capitol will serve to convince otherwise. The specimens received yesterday consist of two large nuggets of gold and quartz in which the gold largely predominates, one solid gold nugget of 50 pennyweight, a large block of the ledge, the face of which is covered over with crystals of gold, several porcelain dishes filled with gold crystals free from the matrix. The piece of the ledge covered on top with crystals of gold is considered by Professor Yates as one of the rarest specimens ever found in this country.

The Dahlonega Railroad.

Col. W. A. Charters left for Atlanta first of the week to go before the Secretary of State for the purpose of securing a charter for the above named road. The men who are interested in this enterprise mean business. Those that are not citizens of Dahlonega are largely interested in the mining industry of this section who have already felt the necessity of having a railroad to either Belton or Gainesville—which place even the members of the company have not yet decided.

Soon after Col. Charters returns a meeting will be held for the purpose of organizing, electing officers and getting ready for business.

The Atlanta Constitution of the 18th inst. speaks of the new enterprise as follows:

"Dahlonega may soon get railroad facilities with the outside world. This time the movement seems to have more in it than previous plans have had. The names signed to the application for charter indicate business.

Dahlonega is twenty-five miles from the nearest railroad. They are long miles; too, over the mountains and across rivers which have to be forded. It is considered good driving to cover the distance from Dahlonega to Gainesville in five hours and I have been eight hours on the journey, and going all the time, as Peter Cooper said of his first engine, which "made four miles in one hour, and it was going all the time."

Dahlonega is a picturesque town and is the heart of a rich gold mining country. The distance from the railroad has always handicapped Lumpkin county. It was difficult and expensive to take mining machinery over the mountains, but nevertheless a great deal of it has been packed in during the last fifty years.

A few months ago some Ohio people organized a mining company and bought the Wahl gold properties. They capitalized their company at \$5,000,000. An order has been placed for 125 stamps and a chlorination plant with capacity to handle the ore from 250 stamps.

In a sensational sermon in Atlanta last Sunday night Dr. L. G. Broughton, pastor of the Baptist Tabernacle, called upon the city council to impeach Mayor Woodward, of that city. The minister said the mayor was a gambler, libertine, sot and disgrace. The mayor has since made a confession to the council of drinking too much and doing other things that were not right but promises to do better.

The 1,800 troops who left San Francisco May 24th arrived at Manila on the 18th.

Five Americans were killed and twenty-five wounded during the fight last Monday by natives thought to be friendly to our soldiers. The enemies loss is said to be heavy.

Sam Richardson, a painter, died of heart failure the other morning in a barroom on Decatur street, Atlanta. When he fell to the floor his son was at home praying for his safe return.

Some blockaders went down to the Briar Patch last Sunday with enough liquor, it is said, to make everybody drunk except two, causing the participants to shoot and yell about all day. This is one way to observe the Sabbath.

Liquor has been playing the devil with some of the city officials of Atlanta. Mayor Woodward and chief of police Joiner have both been imbibing too freely. Joiner is out and Captain Ball fills his place, while the mayor has promised to quit drinking.

A few nights ago Rev. John Forrester was killed by lightning on the grave of Blanche Brooke, the girl he had wronged, at a little village in Oklahoma called Sacred Heart. She had committed suicide after he refused to marry her. Nearly every night after her burial he visited her grave and on the night of his death a terrific storm raged and his life was ended as above stated.

We clip the following paragraph from the Kingman paper in reference to our friend J. B. Witt, who has recently returned to Dahlonega, to show what kind of a time they had before he departed: J. B. Witt, Gaddis & Perry's efficient book-keeper, left for Georgia Tuesday morning. A number of his friends sat up with him during his last night in Kingman and gave him a lively wake. There was many a flowing bowl drunk to his success in the 'sunny South.' Carl Thompson takes his place at Gaddis & Perry's.

Associational Notice.

Whereas the Hightower Baptist Association convenes with the New Hope church, including the second Sunday in August next, and whereas as the Union Meeting of the second section of the Chestnut Association was to convene with the Nimbleshill church at the same time, the two churches being in the same section of country, and whereas the Nimbleshill church has asked that the time of the section of the Union Meeting be changed to include the fourth Sunday in August instead of the second. Notice is hereby given that said request be granted. The delegates and brethren will therefore please convene at Nimbleshill on Friday before the fourth Sunday in Aug., 1899.

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

Bids will be received until noon, July 15, 1899, for the erection of a school building at Dahlonega, Ga., known as Bostwick Hall.

Drawing can be seen after July 1st at the office of H. D. Gurley, chairman of the building committee, Dahlonega, Ga., or at the office of G. L. Norman, architect, Atlanta, Ga.

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DAHLONEGA, GA., JUNE 23, 99.

G. H. McGuire went out to El Jijay this week after his family.

J. F. Moore has just received the largest and best stock of shoes in town.

Dr. Wheelch, merchant Gurley and Col. Bryson visited Gainesville this week.

We understand that the Hall saw mill will be moved near the John B. Graham farm.

Dahlonega's two flourishing hotels have not presented a dull appearance at no time for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Meaders' of Swainsboro, will be here in a few days to pay Dahlonega an extended visit.

John Moore, after being "under the weather" is up on foot again, endeavoring to feed the hungry on fresh meats.

Mr. W. E. Wells, of Lumpkin county, was married to Miss Maggie A. Bailey, of Dawson county on the 11th inst.

Last Saturday was the coldest day we ever felt in the month of June which caused winter clothes to be brought into use again until the wave passed over.

The price of stationery is still increasing but we are yet able to print your letterheads and envelopes 25 cents cheaper on the thousands than the Atlanta price.

The weather is getting warm again and it will not be so pleasant as it has been for a certain married man and that man's wife (both members of the church) to go out and gather wild flowers.

Mrs. Wm. W. Lagare, of Forkland, Ala., wife of Prof. Lagare, now deceased, who used to be one of our college professors, is in the city the guest of Mrs. J. S. Stewart, and will likely spend the summer here.

A woman appeared in town Saturday night, with a portable blind tiger, carrying it in a basket on her arm, and supplied all who wished to indulge during the evening. Where were the "detectives?"

One piece of the machinery belonging to the chlorination plant at the Hand mine weighs fifteen tons. A special wagon will have to be made to haul it on and all the bridges between here and Gainesville over which it passes will have to be strengthened.

Tax receiver Stargel is now at home getting his books ready for the county and state by the first of August, the time prescribed by law. It is thought that the valuation of property in Lumpkin county this year will be a large increase over that of last year.

Lumpkin county has the fewest postoffice and the poorest mail facilities of any of her sister counties. The Postal Guide shows that Lumpkin only has thirteen post-offices while White has 18, Dawson 16, Union 20 and Hall 23, and Lumpkin is the largest and has the biggest population of either of the other counties except Hall.

Work is now being pushed with a vim on the Dahlonega and Gainesville telephone line and the contractors hope to have it completed by the middle of next week. They will commence stretching the wire at once. We understand that Col. Farrow will put an Athens man on his line between Dahlonega and Porter Springs and have it ready for his summer visitors right away.

John F. Gaddis, formerly of Dahlonega but now of Texas, is in Henderson county jail charged with being a member of the mob who recently lynched three of the Minneapoles, some of whom were charged with stealing hogs. The mob went to these men's houses loaded with whiskey, having shot guns and pistols and carried them off into the woods and hung them all to the same tree.

There are sixteen widows in Nimbleshill district.

The wife of Henry Thomas, colored, died near town last Saturday, leaving Henry in a lonely condition.

The contract for building the Long Tube school house was awarded to C. M. Ferguson for \$80.

There are two families occupying tents at the Dahlonega camp ground until they can secure houses.

Sheriff Davis had charge of the club last Friday while Marshal Blackwell went out of town on business.

Dr. H. C. Wheelch has been making some improvements down his way in the addition of a porch to his dwelling.

We do not want any but paying subscribers on our list. Dead heads are no benefit to us, themselves nor no one else.

Mr. James Anderson, who left here for his home at Heseaton a few days ago writes back that they have one case of small pox at that place.

M. J. Williams & Co., go out of business to-day week when M. G. Head will take their stock and continue business at the same old stand.

As soon as editor Woodward completes his new office and vacates the old one Col. Price, the owner of the latter, will convert it into a dwelling.

Mrs. Joseph Miller, of Auraria, paid our town a pleasant visit last Friday, accompanied by two of her daughters, Misses Bessie and Annie, and her son Arthur.

The Third Quarterly Conference of Lumpkin Mission Circuit will be held at St. Paul church on Saturday and Sunday, 8th and 9th of July.

Warren Hendricks, of Union county, is expecting to purchase property and locate in Dahlonega for the purpose of educating his children at our graded school and college.

J. M. Pitner, who graduated at the N. G. A. College five years ago, and who has been engaged in teaching in lower Georgia ever since, is on a visit now to his relatives in this county.

Two sons of J. L. Burns, whose given names we have not learned, came in from Ohio last Friday and went to work for the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. the next day, availing the list of Ohioans already here.

One of Dahlonega's biggest tobacco users went to bed the other night forgetting to take his chew out of his mouth and when he got to snoring it sounded very much like the noise a hen makes when warning her little ones of the appearance of a hawk.

Both of the little boys who broke into Quebec postoffice in Union county recently are now in Fulton county jail. One of them had been reading the life of Jesse James who decided that he preferred a life like his and this is the result. Other boys should take warning and never read such literature.

On Thursday night of last week Charlie Longstreet and Andrew Stephens, two negroes who loved the same gal, had a fight out in the Northern part of town, resulting in the bark being knocked from one or maybe both of their heads. The darling of their hearts was going to take a three months visit the next morning down to Hartwell, Ga. One found her in company with the other and it was more than he could bear for he wanted to hold her sweet little hand in his last. A row commenced and the above is the result of the parting scene. Next morning Charlie left out for Gainesville without seeing the Mayor while Aaron went out and received the usual sentence. Later—Charlie has returned. He can stand before the Dahlonega mayor better than he can face the Gainesville small pox.

Prospecting picks, pans, shovels and all kinds of miners tools at J. F. Moores.

T. A. Jones, of Delaware, O., has been here since our last issue looking over some of the mines.

A little boy of Andrew Adams died very suddenly Wednesday out in the country after being sick less than four days.

Prof. B. P. Gaillard left for Griffin last Saturday to visit his sick mother, who was accompanied by one of his daughters, Miss Fannie.

The familiar face of Ben. Gaillard will no longer be seen behind the counter at the store of J. F. Moore. He has quit the mercantile business for the purpose of studying law.

J. L. Burns, of Ohio, one of the superintendents down at the Hand mine, went to Atlanta last week to purchase furniture for the Imboden house, which building he will soon occupy.

Henry Ash, a farmer residing up in Cane Creek district seems to be a little forgetful. He went out to the field to plow the other day and when he got to his destination found that he had left the plow off of his stock and had to go back half a mile and get it.

Among the guests at the Hall House are P. H. Scott and wife, J. W. Livingston and A. J. Sweet, of Denver, Colorado. The gentlemen have already commenced work preparing the timbers for the Hand mill, all of whom will be here several months. A Mrs. Pencoek is speaking of renting the Wilson House. If she does the Colorado people will board there.

H. D. Strickland, of Swainsboro, took his parents on surprise last Sunday by stopping in while they were at dinner without any notification of his coming what-over. He came up to Atlanta to purchase some horses and took a notion to extend his trip on up to Dahlonega and spend a day with the old folks at home. He went from here to Tennessee.

Merchant T. S. Littlefield came up from Gainesville last Saturday to get his wife and little boy who have been here with relatives for about a couple of weeks. While here Sunday he went up into the mountains to hear an old time sermon delivered by a minister who wears home made clothes, and listen to the beautiful songs that were used long before organs and so much style came in fashion.

Logan Campbell, of Dahlonega has a hen which has been continuously sitting on her nest for ten weeks, during which time she has hatched out three gangs of chickens. She cannot be induced to leave her nest even with her chickens or to get anything to eat. As soon as one gang is hatched out the chickens are taken from her and another lot of eggs placed in the nest and feed and water put where she can reach it at will. The faithful old hen is now on her fourth lot of eggs. For the want of exercise she is getting almost as poor as Job's turkey. She is certainly a friend to the Methodist ministers and when they hold their district meeting here in July they should not forget to remember this kind old chicken.

Ministers and members of the church who are working for foreign missions should remember the poor woman, Nancy Pinion, living out in Mill Creek district in this county who recently lost her twelve year-old son. She lives in a pole hut without any floor. Has no chairs, tables, bed clothing nothing to wear except the few rags that hang in strings about her. Has but little to eat and nothing to eat out of. Is too poor to buy any coffee and drinks spice wood tea made in an oyster can. Owns no bedstead and when her boy died he breathed his last while resting on a rock. This woman is in a worse condition than any of the heathens. Think of her next time you go to send off money. Charity should begin at home.

Since the rains the growing crops look fine.

The Hall House has been alive with mining men this week.

John Jackson, of Nelson, Ga., was over a couple of days this week.

Plenty of work here now and there is no excuse for any able bodied person being idle.

Since there has been such a demand for lumber all the saw mill men have a pleasing appearance.

We hear of a number of more persons who are going to purchase real estate and locate in Dahlonega right away.

Rene Adams' spicy signed her bond this week and she is away from the jail now enjoying outdoor company again.

A counter petition is being gotten up against the proposed new road from Porter Springs by the way of Spencer's mills.

By reference to our advertising columns you will see that Henry Underwood has something to say. He is a good sober up to date barber and always on hand.

Frank R. Adams, J. G. Rosenthal, of Delaware, Ohio, who are interested in mining here, arrived Wednesday afternoon accompanied by F. M. Merriott and son from the same city.

They want another school in Porter Springs district. It would be much better for all concerned if there were fewer schools in our county. Then we could have larger and better schools and able teachers.

Prof. Stewart went to Atlanta last Friday to look after the printing of five thousand catalogues for the college. He was accompanied by Prof. Ansted. Another object in view was to secure teachers for the Dahlonega graded school.

F. G. Thomson, his wife and children, of Toledo, Ohio, arrived here last week. Mr. Thomson is a director of the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co., who has been here frequently and made many friends. The gates of Dahlonega are always standing ajar for the reception of such visitors. They returned home Sunday.

Mrs. James A. Grizzle, residing near Dahlonega has a chicken with four well developed legs. Two of them are at their proper places while the others appear from its breast bone. It is healthy and runs about with the others. It only uses two of its legs but we suppose if it was to get very tired that it would make a change.

One of the members of the council requested us to state last week that they had detectives out watching to catch persons selling liquor in Dahlonega. We didn't say anything but thought that they were not very watchful else they would have discovered the blockader while he was selling out of his keg in the court house the other day. The trouble is there are too many of the "detectives" that love the juice of corn themselves.

Many plank in the bridge across the Hand ditch near Rice's shop is loose and when a vehicle passes over it the noise resembles that of a ten stamp mill. Some of these nights one of the plank will get misplaced and a horse will be crippled and the town will be called on for damages. The council should see that it is fixed. The Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. is plenty able to build a new bridge there.

John Myers, colored, while studying about the racket the two civil rights had the night before, got mad out on Pea Ridge Friday afternoon and was talking about cleaning up the patch. The marshal upon being notified of the fact went out in the interest of the town to see that John didn't tear up anything, but when he got in sight the negro exposed the bottoms of his feet and took a northern direction without Mayor Price getting to see him. It may be that he didn't have the dollar and cost, but will return so soon as he raises three dollars.

Prof. J. S. Stewart will attend the Georgia teachers convention at Warm Springs next week.

Hall keeps a full assortment of mixed paints, all colors and sizes cans, white lead, linseed oil, putty and glass cheaper than the cheapest.

The mail carrier informs us that Joe Carder was carried back to Banks county from Union the other day on account of some of his mischief doing.

Up to last Saturday the two little Pitts boys, residing down on the Chestatee river, had caught 300 pounds of fish in their baskets from the 17th of May.

A tramp named Randolph, who was born in New York, became sick after reaching this county recently and is at the pauper's home now in the last stage of consumption.

A lady from Shoal Creek district with a basket of eggs went all through the new school house the other day before she found out that it was not the new commissary. Finding no goods now she caused her to make enquiries of workmen engaged close by when the lady was shown the proper place.

Judge Tate has a letter in his possession written by Judge Estes on the 16th inst., stating that he intends for the public roads in his circuit to be put in good condition. He says if the ordinary has discharged his duty, it falls on the road commissioners, and if they have done their duty it falls on the overseen, and so on down to the hands. If the roads are not worked well the one who has failed to do his duty will be punished. This should be a sufficient warning to all parties concerned in this county.

The old reliable portable bar-room from Chestatee, operated by a female, made its appearance in the edge of town last Sunday night which made things lively nearly all night. Eight or ten got drunk, one being a female, and such shines as were out is not often witnessed in any community, not even in the wild west—nowhere except in that locality. One fellow tried to shoot another, after which several shots were fired in the air which likely sounded a little odd to strangers not used to such conduct. After the ball was over the marshal called next morning to make enquiries and secured the names of all those present but no witnesses and here the matter rests. Various classes were represented at this grand jubilee—the farmer, miner, brick industry and even the democratic party of Lumpkin county.

Last Monday morning a strange old man carrying a little package tied up in a handkerchief, hung on a stick which he carried on his shoulder, appeared on our streets enquiring the way to Morganton and Ducktown. He said that his name was Truvelove and that he lived in Illinois and was the same man who had to leave his home at Auraria, in this county, thirty-three years ago for fighting and nearly killing Elijah Mullinax who then lived at the same place. The object of his visit back to Lumpkin county, he stated, was to see his brother who he had not seen during this long period of time. He got off of the train at Marietta and footed it through the country to Auraria, but when he reached his destination learned that his brother had long since moved away from where he was located at Morganton and working in the copper mines at Ducktown, Tenn. The old man was determined not to return home after traveling so far without seeing him and was making his way to that place in the same manner which he traveled from Marietta. He said that he was worth \$75,000 but his wearing apparel didn't represent wealth in the least as the bosom of his pants looked very much like those worn by country editors. However, he displayed a large number of \$20 gold pieces tied up in a handkerchief to one of our merchants, proving that he was amply able to travel in any manner he wished.

At Halls you will find sausage, breakfast bacon and all kinds of canned goods.

Tom Chapman, who was sentenced recently to the chain gang for burning Meaders' mill in Hall failed to get a new trial.

C. C. Ricker, of St. Clair Michigan, who has been spending several days in Dahlonega, is so well pleased with this section that he speaks very much like purchasing property and locating here. We hope that he will make up his mind to do so for good citizens are always welcomed to Dahlonega.

Cordogtown Standard: Senator W. G. Bunn returned Friday from his official visit as a member of the legislative board appointed by the state senate to inspect the North Georgia Agricultural College, in Dahlonega. The senator was delighted with that section and charmed by those people. The institution is accomplishing a great work, and is one of the most useful in Georgia. The first year's management under the direction of President Stewart has been one of the most successful and prosperous in the history of the college. 284 pupils paying matriculated for the year.

Parties returning from Gainesville last Tuesday brought the first news to Dahlonega of the arrest of Smith who killed W. B. Bell in Habersham county some time ago. Among the captives were Henry Towery, Tom Bell, a son of the murdered man, and Tom Byers, Gainesville. They arrested him at home Monday night concealed behind a false wall in his house built for the purpose of hiding this murderer from the outside world. He was carried to Hall county jail for safe keeping. A detective had been in Smith's locality for some time pretending to be a prospector who located him. The different rewards offered for him amounted to \$1,125.

Some two weeks ago the small pox broke out at Gainesville and the matter kept a secret to most of the outsiders until this week. The news came to Dahlonega last Monday that there were eighteen or twenty cases, but Dr. Wheelch, who returned from there last Tuesday, says that there are only about 10 cases, negroes and a white lady. An expert came up Monday from Atlanta and after making an examination pronounced it to be a very mild form. They feel satisfied that there is no danger of its spreading. Mrs. W. I. Hobbs is the sick white lady, whose house has been quarantined for forty days. The negro patients have been sent to the pest house out into the country.

Prof. Gneartner, who was recently elected by the board of trustees of the N. G. A. College to fill the chair of mathematics, has resigned on account of his salary being raised where he had been teaching. Prof. Witherspoon has been filling this position in the Dahlonega college for about two years but the trustees thought proper to change him to another branch and in our opinion they made a big mistake. Our college has been growing in the last two years and in a more prosperous condition than it has been for many and what makes it its able corps of teachers. Then why should any of them be swapped off and make an experiment with those we know not? Prof. Witherspoon is pronounced by knowing ones to be among the ablest mathematicians that ever occupied this position in our college, and a teacher who treats the high and the low, the rich and the poor all alike in the school room. His object is to instruct them and perform his duties in every sense of the word. In examinations no pupil is marked up simply because he or she is a favorite or belongs to a member of the board of trustees. This is the kind of teachers that are needed. A pupil may be incorrectly marked, showing up well to his parents, but when he goes out into the world it will be both an injury to him and the college.

An Interesting Letter From Manila.

The following letter is written to the Clarksville Advertiser by H. P. Anderson, who is now at Manila. Read it. It will set your blood to boiling.

Manila is a city of over 350,000 souls. The buildings are principally built of stone, very few over two stories high, and none over three. The streets are straight and very narrow. Very few of the side-walks are over three feet wide. The city has a very good electric light system. Street railways are horsepower. The city and surroundings owe their excellent water supply to Carrillo, who, at his death in 1743, left a fund, which, with its accumulations and profits has since been utilized in the construction of the public waterworks. There are two large hospitals in the city, the hospital civil and the hospicio de san fose, was under the care of the sisters of charity. The leper hospital, containing about 140 patients, is at St. Lazarus, two miles from the city. The penitentiary has room for 1500 prisoners. Carregider island is only a mountain in the entrance to Manila Bay—the U. S. has a large hospital there.

No doubt the Spanish taxed the citizens of the islands without mercy. It was a law here that all natives and Chinamen should have citizen and identification papers, for which they had to pay \$5.00 every year. Poll tax was \$14.00 for the male citizen and \$11.00 for the female, and parents paid \$1.00 for each child every year and if one died the parents of the deceased had to pay the doctor first whether he treated the deceased or not, next was to pay the priest, then the funeral expenses. If a native wanted to kill a beef or hog he had to get permission and pay a heavy tax; for a beef \$15.00, on carriages, wagons, etc., the tax was \$3.00 for each wheel. About ninety per cent of the vehicles has only two wheels. If the citizens were unable to pay the required tax they were put in prison, and no doubt there has been thousands killed by the Spanish government. They had several different ways of performing executions some were shot, some tortured to death, some sealed up in dungeons, the majority being strangled to death. I saw a pile of human skeletons about two miles south of Cavite, and I think I would be safe in saying there was over one thousand skeletons in the heap. I heard there was still another large pile further out, but I did not see it. The walls are full of dungeons—the American soldiers found several bodies in those terrible dark holes who had been put in there by the Spaniards. It seems terrible to civilized people. The Philippines are the most blood-thirsty and cruelest I ever heard of. If the people in the civilized countries could see some of my comrades that fell on the battle field and were found by the natives they would change their minds. The natives when they find a wounded soldier on the field, cut off his ears, nose, tongue, pull their eyes out, cut their heart out, and put it in their mouth. Where is the American that would not set his blood boiling?

A crank came running into the office and said a man swallowed a two-foot rule and died by inches. The editor started out at once to learn further particulars of the death, and meeting a doctor told him about the case. He said that was nothing, that he had a patient once who swallowed a thermometer and died by degrees. A couple of by-standers then chimed in. One of them said it reminded him of a fellow down in Kansas who swallowed a pistol and went off a year. Another one said he had a friend in Macon who took a quart of apple-sauce and died in good style.

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Society is laughing itself sick over an amusing incident which occurred at a fashionable residence not many days ago, says the Louisville Times. A well known young lawyer was the victim.

He was calling on a local belle, and during the course of the evening took advantage of an opportunity and imprinted a kiss on the fair cheek of his hostess, much to her surprise and indignation.

"Sir how dare you!" she exclaimed, or words to that effect. "If you ever presume to do such a thing like that again I'll tell my father!"

But the young lawyer thought it was a bluff, or else liked it so well that he was willing to take the consequences. Anyhow, he repeated the offense. He was not very much surprised to see her jump up and leave the room with an air of offended dignity.

"That's all a bluff," thought he. "She will go upstairs and get a handkerchief and then come down and scold me." He was still in his frame of mind when he heard the parlor door behind him open. "There she is," he thought. And then he said aloud: "Well did you tell him?"

A moment later his blood froze in horror as a deep voice replied: "Yes, Mr.—my daughter told me!"

There was no need to say more. At the sound of the unfamiliar voice the young lawyer had looked around. When he saw the father with long modern hair in his hands he waited no longer.

With one bound he had reached the window, and he went through it, such and all, leaving his hat behind him.

What he did not know was that the young lady's anger had melted by the time she had reached her father's room, but she decided to play a joke on him.

"Father," said she, "Mr.—is downstairs. He is a great hunter and a perfect crank on the subject of rifles. I have been trying to explain your new Winchester repeater to him. Won't you take it down and show it to him?"

A Western editor invited the neighborhood to a public rabbit hunt with the encouraging assurance that rabbits were as plentiful as delinquent subscribers in hell.

Bad management keeps more people in poor circumstances than any other one cause. To be successful one must look ahead and plan ahead so that when a favorable opportunity presents itself he is ready to take advantage of it. A little forethought will also save much expense and valuable time. A prudent and careful man will keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house, the shiftless fellow will wait until necessity compels it and then ruin his best horse going for a doctor and have a big doctor bill to pay, besides; one pays out 25 cents, the other is out a hundred dollars and then wonders why his neighbor is getting richer while he is getting poorer. For sale by F. W. Hall Mds Co.

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Mrs. Alice Tripton, of Morganton, struck Col. Thomas A. Brown with a weight while he was sitting in a chair. Brown represented Mrs. Tifton in a case against her husband for alimony, and during the progress of the trial Colonel Brown quit the case. A warrant has been sworn out for her arrest.

A saloon, the property of a woman, was sold out in Atlanta the other day by the sheriff.

Mr. P. Ketcham of Pike City, Cal., says: "During my brother's late sickness from septic rheumatism, Chamberlain's Pain Balm was the only remedy that gave him any relief." Many others have testified to the prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords. For sale by F. W. Hall Mds Co.

Will Take 100,000 More Soldiers at Least.

Capt. A. McQueston, who has just returned to San Francisco from Manila an invalid by the climate, after a close study of the Philippine question says in his opinion it will take from 100,000 to 150,000 soldiers to properly subdue and hold the islands. He also says that the peace commission was an absolute failure, and that its work from the start was without effect. He strongly supports the military government of the islands, except that he thinks more men will be necessary than has been estimated. Dr. Shorman knows that the commission is a failure and is coming home in July, added Capt. McQueston.

"Unless the troops, thousands of them, are sent to aid our men there they will be driven back into Manila in the course of the next few months, during the rainy season. Our man simply cannot stand the climate. Fifty per cent of them will be incapacitated by sickness and the territory overrun will have to be abandoned and Manila will be a state of siege again."

"Our officers and soldiers have accomplished wonders and have proved themselves the best soldiers in the world. But nothing decisive has come of it, because our men were not in great enough force."

Hundreds of acres of corn have been destroyed by the cut worm and army worm in Illinois.

Mary had a millionaire, his head was as soft as dough, and everywhere that Mary went, why, he was sure to go. He followed her to church one day, and there they had a row, arranged by Mary, Mary lives on alimony now.

Learning to Shoot.

The fact that the Filipinos recently struck one of the American ships at a distance of 3,500 yards at the first shot with a homemade cannon, shows that the men behind the guns on the other side are quite skillful themselves. The Filipinos are learning a good many things from their friends, the enemy, and one is how to shoot. This reminds us of General Toombs' anecdote told during the civil war. He was making a speech in Sandersville, Ga., urging secession and welcoming the war. Among other things he advised the young men to go to the front, declaring that the Yankee did not know how to shoot and would speedily be defeated. Two young Washington county men enlisted at the breaking out of the hostilities and promptly went to battle. During one of the severe engagements of the early part of the war these comrades, who had become separated from their company, sought the shelter of a tree. Bullets were grazing the bark on one side and as the men crouched together minie balls commenced to splinter the trunk of the tree on the other side. The situation was too close to be comfortable and the angle of safety grew painfully acute. Finally one of the boys said to his companion: "Say Jim, do you remember that speech General Tombs made in Sandersville one day?"

"Yes, Bill, I remember it."

"Jim didn't he say that the Yankees couldn't shoot?"

"That is what he said, Bill."

"Then they are learning damn fast, ain't they?"—Savannah Press.

Fifty car loads of Georgia water melons passed through Atlanta the other day for the Obians.

The trustees of the University of Georgia will not choose Chancellor Bogg's successor until the 13th of July.

Yellow fever has broke out in Santiago among the American soldiers. Friday's dailies mention four deaths out of fourteen cases.

The deficit in the U. S. Treasury may reach a hundred million. The war with Spain is calculated to have cost the country about two hundred and thirty million.

The Philippine women seem to have some grit about them as well as the men. One wrote a letter to an American officer the other day in which she stated if we killed all the men they would take up arms and fight for their country.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. Respectfully, Mrs. MARY A. BEARD, Claremore, Ark. Sold by F. W. Hall Mds Co.

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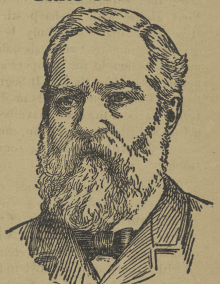
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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, JUNE 30, '99.

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The yellow fever at Santiago is still on the increase.

Non residents of Florida will hereafter have to pay \$10 for the privilege of hunting in that state.

Rev. T. T. Christian, a prominent and well known minister, who used to preach in Dahlonega, died in Atlanta last week.

A New York drummer was horsewhipped in Raleigh, N. C., the other day for insulting a young lady. Good enough.

In some portions of Georgia the crops are turning up. While other portions are being visited by storms and grenching rains.

Last Saturday night the north bound mail pouch was stolen at Cordele, Ga., from the depot after the postmaster had delivered it to the railroad authorities, containing over \$8,000 in money and checks.

It is estimated that at least 10,000 people will leave the Klondike this summer. There is said to be 3,000 penniless men at Dawson city begging for assistance to get up the river. Many others are working for their bread.

At the regular quarterly meeting of the state geological board in Atlanta last week, Prof. Yeates' report was received and his splendid work for the state highly complimented. Prof. Yeates will now begin and spend the greater part of his time this summer in field work.

The report of the recent legislative investigating committee has opened the eyes of the people of Georgia. They are all democrats and those who they have been dealing with are democrats, causing the report to attract more attention than if they were populists or belonged to some other political party. The report shows that all parties will bear watching.

Cain Stevens, col., who shot and killed Marshal Osborn at Gaunancy Jan. 31, was hanged last Friday. Just before the trigger was sprung the negro said that he was going straight to heaven. Let no other negro be induced by Cain's assertion to commit murder in order to get to heaven for he might be deceived and go the other route.

The Eagle states that the citizens are using extra precaution to prevent the spread of smallpox in her city and no doubt are, but if they don't watch out some of those negroes at the pest house will seater it yet as undertaker Dorsey told us while in Dahlonega last Sunday that some of them had been slipping into town after dark.

Muscoogee's grand jury is getting after the superintendent of the Poor House with a sharp stick. It is found that he is only been giving the inmates two meals a day and goods bought for paupers are never received by them. It begins to look like various officials in different parts of the state have been acting a little crooked who can't be satisfied without stealing something.

The legislative committee report has been made causing quite a sensation as the trustees of the State Asylum are charged with dishonesty. T. M. Hunt is charged with having appropriated to his private use \$183.24 of the funds at his disposal. He also charged the institution on one occasion \$25 for his expenses to Macon, when previous to that time the expenses of such a trip had not exceeded \$3. It is also charged that Adolphus Joseph received profits of 50 per cent on certain sales of supplies for the institution. Then Dr. E. E. Dixon, of Hall, chairman of the board of trustees, received free of charge a car load of coal from a company which had received the contract to furnish the institution with coal for 1898. Later, Dr. Dixon has shown that he paid for the load of coal.

Mining Notes.

Things are moving along as usual down at the Crescent.

Several hands are now engaged in prospecting and taking out ore on the Preacher lot.

More hands have been added to the already large force at the Hand this week, making about 125 men engaged at this mine now.

F. V. Moore is still engaged in successfully deposit mining down at the Ivy. He has been there for a long time and has taken out much of the yellow metal.

Wm. Skyrme sold his valuable mining property over on Long Branch, including the stamp mill and machinery on the 16th inst. to D. H. Kehoe, of Butte City, Montana.

The teamsters are now engaged in hauling from Gainesville three car loads of track iron and one of cement for the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. to be used in its new operation down at the Hand.

Hardy Perry is now engaged in deposit mining on the Wimpy property on or below Sand Branch from which many hundred penny-weights of gold have been taken proving that there are valuable veins nearby which have fed the rich deposits.

It's lumber, lumber, lumber, down at the Hand mine. W. G. Spencer has six teams supplying them from his saw mill every day and many others are hauling from various mills in this and other counties and then it is a hard matter to keep them in lumber.

As an evidence that we need something in this country to save the gold better than the old fashion stamp mill, three miners, Davis, Rice and Hamp, have been at work on the Tan Yard Branch below one of these mills for months making good wages, mostly waste gold.

Some half a dozen Northern gentlemen came up with Mr. Whorton last week to see his mine known as the Calhoun. The pump broke last Saturday and caused a suspension of his deposit mining this week. The 40 stamp mill is ready for operation as soon as the crusher, which has already been ordered, arrives.

There is no calculating the amount of good the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. is doing this country: Every industrious laborer with or without a team is given employment, getting the mines ready for successful operation and we trust that it will be rewarded by receiving in return much of the yellow metal for the efforts and good that are being accomplished.

Capitalists and mining men from Illinois, Ohio and North Carolina spent some time here in examining the iron beds last week which had been opened up for their inspection a few days previous, all of whom expressed themselves as being satisfied with both the quality and quantity. Samples were carried away so as to give thorough tests. This is proper and right. We don't ask any one to make an investment here without first examining the property and testing its minerals thoroughly. Lumpkin county is rich in minerals and we are not afraid for any of her property to be fairly tested.

There is a bright future in store for Lumpkin county in the way of mining. When the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. gets its chlorination plant now in course of erection, completed, it will open the eyes of the people in all sections of the country. It is claimed by the inventors of this method of treating the ore that they can save 95 per cent of the gold at a cost of from 50 cents to \$2.90 per ton, enabling them to work low grade ore at a good profit—even claim to be able to treat one dollar ore at a profit. There are only two of these plants in the south and both have proven to be a success, causing us to have the utmost confidence in this one. No longer than last week men from the West on making their appearance here for the first time said that they were utterly astounded in both the quantity and quality of ore in Lumpkin county and the cheapness with which it can be handled.

In the West they have to sink deep shafts and cut tunnels some four or five hundred feet long some times in order to strike the veins, labor costing \$3.50 per day. Here it is different. Labor is from \$9 cents to one dollar per day and gold is found from the surface on down and scarcely a day during the whole year gets too hot or too cold to operate the mines here. They say that there is no comparison between the mines here and those of the West, ours having the advantage in many ways.

New Railroad For Dahlonega.

A charter was granted to the Dahlonega Railway Company yesterday, by the secretary of state giving the new road the right to build a line from Dahlonega to Gainesville, or Lula, Ga., the terminus to be selected in the near future by the incorporators of the company.

The construction of this line has been looked forward to for some time, as it has been known that the mine owners of Lumpkin and the surrounding counties were greatly in need of direct transportation to and from the mines. The Dahlonega Railway Company is chartered with a capital of \$300,000, and its leading incorporators are W. A. Charters, W. P. Price, H. D. Gurley, J. F. Moore, E. W. Hall, and H. D. Ingersoll, of Dahlonega; J. W. Adams, Chattanooga, Tenn.; F. G. Thompson and Geo. W. Breyman, of Toledo, and J. W. Smith, of Pontiac, Mich.

The road will be thirty miles in length, running in a southeasterly direction either to Gainesville or Lula, and with a surplus of capital on which to work, the incorporators promise to have the road in operation in as short a time as possible.

It is understood that the owners of other mining property at Dahlonega are laying plans for the erection of an electric line with power sufficient to carry railroad coaches from Dahlonega to Gainesville. The incorporators of the plan, however, are in advance of ville. Their charter, and it is regarded as improbable that two separate and distinct roads will be built between the two north Georgia towns.—Constitution.

Capt. Adams told us Wednesday that they would organize in a few days.

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A movement is on foot to raise a fund to build Gen. John B. Gordon's home. The matter will be put before the United veterans of the south. This may be all right but there are hundreds of old veterans who fought for what they believed to be right in much more arduous circumstances than the General, some of whom are really needing the necessities of life and have to fight life's battle hard in their old age in order to keep hunger from their doors.

The other day one of Colquitt Head's hands came in contact with his circle saw which made a very ugly and painful wound across the palm. It was dressed by Dr. Homer Head and is getting all right.

Ten thousand regulars will arrive at Manila Sept. 1st.

A NEW RAILROAD.

Dahlonega and Atlanta to be Connected by Rail.

The Atlanta Journal says: "Atlanta has been promised a new trunk line of railway to the east. Surveys are now being made of a proposed line that is to have Atlanta as its southern terminus, reaching into Tennessee, and working out a route to some connection either in the Carolinas or in Virginia, probably further east.

Several days ago a survey was made of a route from Atlanta, passing through the counties of Milton, Forsyth, Dawson, Lumpkin, Union, and Fannin, on into Tennessee. Further than the Tennessee line no route has been actually mapped out, although several lines are being worked upon by the incorporators.

Chiefly interested in this new scheme is Capt. Frank W. Hall, who first began discussing the building of a road, and who has now secured the co-operation and backing of eastern capitalists and a number of gentlemen, who are owners of gold producing lands in the northern part of this state.

Although the road is to pass through a mountainous part of the state, it is said that for forty-eight miles of the road can be constructed without the building of a single trestle that will be expensive. There will be many small streams to cross, but none that will necessitate the building of costly bridges, as the proposed line will run through the valleys, thus avoiding the hills and mountains.

The route that has been fixed upon passes through six counties from Atlanta to Tennessee which now have no railroad facilities, and with the exception of one of the counties named, no railroad touches their borders.

The surveys thus far made covers a distance of nearly 140 miles. It was announced yesterday afternoon at the office of the secretary of state by one of the incorporators that the road would be built and operated without doubt."

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Dr. McRae, of Atlanta, was in the city this week.

You will find fresh lemons at Copeland's first of the week.

Sherrif Davis is now rid of all his female prisoners. Mary Postell had bond last Friday.

The first payment of \$100, borrowed for the building of the graded school, will be made this week.

Prof. Paul Allen, who has been teaching in a Kentucky institution is here for a short rest during vacation.

A. J. Noewald, who is spending a few days at his home at Frankford, Ky., will return to Dahlonega in a few days.

Some one visited Ferdinand McDonald's house the other night down at the Calhoun, and carried off some tobacco, lard and a sack of flour.

Elijah Beck got one of his fingers almost mashed off last Monday in handling some timbers while at work for the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co.

Dr. Waddell, of Marietta, former president of the N. G. A. College, has been elected principal of the Dahlonega Institute for a term of five years, to succeed Prof. Geo. Orr, resigned.

TOWN TAXES.—Your taxes for 1899 are now due and must be paid at once. Call on G. McGuire, town treasurer. Interest on school bonds now due and must be paid.

W. P. PRICE, Mayor.

We understand that the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. has purchased the Bassinger house and that its secretary and treasurer, E. G. Thompson will occupy it. Prof. Stewart will vacate it next week and move to the Wilson house.

It was the intention of the ministers to have a two days meeting at the camp ground commencing last Saturday, but enough people didn't go the first day to hold any. A very good congregation attended Sunday at 11 o'clock, however.

Mrs. Polly Hester, one of the oldest ladies of Chestatee district, if not in the county, died first of the week. She was the sister of Alfred Hester, a highly respected citizen, now deceased who was well known to the citizens of Lumpkin county.

The time for the completion of the telephone line to Gainesville has almost expired, but it is hoped that conversation by wire will be in a few days. Hot weather and too much stimulants combined have somewhat retarded the progress of work on this line, else it would have already been finished.

John Chapman, of the firm of Brookshire & Chapman, doing business at Jay, Ga., was in Dahlonega this week making bond as postmaster of that place, which has been sent on to the postoffice department and in a short time the people of that neighborhood will be supplied with convenient mail facilities again.

Quite a little sensation was created during the trial of Floyd Wheelchel last Monday, who was being tried before Squire Worley on a peace warrant sworn out by his wife, by Col. W. S. Huff getting mad and starting to leave the court room because the Squire wouldn't agree to some of his motions. Col. Huff represented the defendant and Rev. D. M. Edwards, pastor of the M. E. Church, had charge of the plaintiff's side. Squire Worley is secretary of the church and when Mr. Huff boiled over he said to the court that he wouldn't stay in the church with no such a crowd, or words to that effect, and told the secretary to mark his name off of the church book. Better remain in the church Bro. Huff so as to get the prayers of its entire membership, for there are few lawyers in heaven, according to reports, as well as country editors.

Misses Iola and Nannie Wheelchel left for Anniston yesterday.

We are glad to note the presence of editor McIntosh, of the Albany Herald, in Dahlonega this week.

Mr. Hatson has a large kiln of brick ready for the new mining company which will give the teamsters more employment.

Some one stole two shoes from W. M. Simmons the other night causing him to have to come ten or twelve miles to town after new ones.

Houses cannot be had for love nor money just now—all filled up, but some of our citizens are going to commence the erection of some right away.

In the "Associational Notice" last week we got the initials of the moderator wrong. It should have been C. W. Stargel instead of J. C. Stargel.

It turns out that Randolph, who is at the pauper's home, is not a regular tramp. He was on his way to North Carolina to accept a job when he got sick and is a stranger who is penniless, homeless and friendless.

Prof. Abbott, principal of Canton's High School, was here on a visit this week, being an applicant for the professorship of the chair of mathematics in the N. G. A. College which was filled by Prof. Boyd. He afterwards consulted with the trustees of the graded school and it may be that he will be put in charge of this institution and become a citizen of Dahlonega yet.

A difficulty occurred in the church yard at Soule's Chapel last Sunday between Will Chapman and Robt. Burns in which the latter gave the congregation who had assembled to hear Rev. Newt. Austin talk about the Lord, the former correct measure in the sand. When Bob did this Bony Wilson struck him. The cause of the racket was on account of Will Chapman having on too big a load of stimulants. The matter will likely be brought to the notice of the presiding judge at the next term of the Superior Court.

Judge Rudolph, Hall county's most efficient ordinary, came up Sunday to attend the funeral of Rev. G. Hughes. Judge Rudolph used to do business in Dahlonega with the Burnside's, and left here in the year '72 and located in that city. Many changes have taken place in Dahlonega since he departed. Both the Burnside's are dead and many other old citizens are gone leaving only a few of his acquaintances. Judge Rudolph has ever been a friend to Dahlonega. When Col. Price made an effort to build a railroad to Dahlonega from Gainesville this public spirited gentleman subscribed, paid the money and assisted in this enterprise all that he could. He says he still favors having a railroad but of course wants it to come from Gainesville. Such true and tried men as this will always meet with a hearty welcome in Dahlonega.

We are pleased to note that the trustees of the N. G. A. College have elected Prof. J. W. Boyd, of Young Harris, professor of mathematics by a unanimous vote, not only the credential committee but by the full board, and the position has been accepted by the Professor. Prof. Boyd has been teaching in the Young Harris College for a number of years, who has been acting as president of this institution for some time and would have been elected as such at the next meeting of the Methodist Conference and doubtless too without any opposition. This alone proves to those not acquainted with this able instructor that the trustees of the N. G. A. College have made a wise selection. We welcome the Professor back to the home of his boyhood days and feel proud that it has been within the gift of those in power to select one of Dahlonega's worthy sons so that he may return to our town and once more become a citizen of the place where he was born and raised.

Porter Springs are becoming lively by the appearance of health seekers.

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Mr. Hughes was buried in a casket selected by himself from A. B. C. Dorsey, of Gainesville July 5th, 1899.

C. M. Ferguson found his cow in the woods the other day where she had been beat to death by some unknown person.

Mrs. John Wardsworth, daughter of Mrs. Nancy Duckett of Lumpkin county, died one day last week in Pickens.

Quite a crowd of ladies and gentlemen of our town went out to Cane Creek falls the other night on a bathing expedition. This is a delightful place for sport.

Our hotels presented a lively appearance last week made so by the large crowd of miners and capitalists on hand, resembling Dahlonega's bright and good old days before the war.

Mr. Buttley has a contract to supply the Dahlonega C. G. M. Co. with 200,000 feet of lumber. He visited Dawson county last Friday to see timber and saw mill men in reference to this matter.

Our watermelon vines up here are just now blooming while ripe melons are being shipped by the car loads north. Notwithstanding all this we would not swap our healthy locality up here for any place on the globe.

We learn that E. D. Gaddis, of Hightower district, was arrested by J. F. Perdue on a warrant sworn out by Samuel Rider charging him with taking possession of Rider's corn. The trial was presided over by Justice Chatten in which Rider gained the corn.

Our office was visited by two Ohio gentlemen last Friday, Mr. J. G. Rosenthal and Mr. Wm. Fisher, both interesting in mining here. It was Mr. Fisher's first visit to our town and he was very much delighted with the place. He said if we only knew it, real estate here in Dahlonega was just as valuable as the gold mines, for in the course of a year Dahlonega would be crowded with people so that you could scarcely travel.

The board of trustees of Harlem school elected Prof. J. M. Pitner, a former citizen of Lumpkin county and a graduate of the N. G. A. College, principal for the coming term, then learned only too late that Thomson had over-cherished them and already contracted with the professor for the next scholastic year. And the Georgia Education correctly asserts that "this is evidently a case of the position seeking the man and not the man the position."

Rev. Goodman Hughes died at his residence in Dahlonega last Friday afternoon at about 6:30 o'clock after a lingering illness of several weeks, aged 88 years and 13 days. Mr. Hughes was born in Burcomb county, N. C., June 10, 1811 on the place where Ashville is located. Joined the Baptist church when a boy and in his early manhood was licensed to preach. After preaching some time he joined the M. E. Church South and was licensed to preach, and for many years was a local preacher and joined the conference in 1868. He was married to Miss Francis Emma Sitton in Habersham county on Nov. 10, 1833, who passed away in Dahlonega July 4th, 1892. Uncle Goodman had been a citizen of Dahlonega for many years and was loved by every one who knew him. Every body seemed to be willing to administer to his wants and make him as comfortable as possible in his last days. His remains were placed by the side of his wife in Mt. Hope cemetery last Sunday afternoon in the presence of a large number of people. Thus one by one the old familiar landmarks are passing away. Only a few are left to tell the unwritten history of hardships and trials, of which the present generation know nothing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marlow visited White county last week.

Carpenter Edwards will not build the Presbyterian church. He and Mr. Spencer, the original contractor, couldn't agree.

Mrs. James Adams was bound over the other day by Squire Allen on a peace warrant sworn out by Mrs. J. B. Housley, who made bond immediately afterwards.

When you see a young lady at a store looking across a candy case to a young man on the opposite side without either speaking a word it means that they are charmed by love on account of so much sweetness.

A white woman appeared in town the other morning very much excited and angry, being in search of an officer to send up to White county after a negro woman who had carried away very valuable articles belonging to her—a pair of stockings.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller visited Dahlonega for a few hours last Friday. Mr. Miller said that they didn't have exactly a boom down at Auraria but everything was moving along all right, with still a brighter future in store for her citizens, he thought.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Quillian of Land spent a short time in Dahlonega latter part of last week. Mr. Quillian is using every effort to have the company build the railroad from Dahlonega to Belton, while the citizens of Gainesville are very anxious for it to go that way.

It was reported here that S. A. Kelly, an old Dahlonega citizen who left some years ago for Texas was dead but we are glad to state that it is a mistake. He is now at Thornton, Texas, enjoying good health, who sent us a dollar the other day stating that he wanted to hear the news from his old boyhood home.

Ordinary Tate was round last week putting the seal on the measures and weights of merchants of the town, that is those who had not already had it done, so as to enable them to collect any debts due them. Otherwise they can not do it. No debt can be collected according to law where the goods are weighed and measured on unsealed weights and measures.

Twenty-two applicants for teachers license stood the examination last week before the county school commissioner at Dahlonega, six of whom were students of the N. G. A. College who had already received second grade license to teach from this institution. They had only missed a few points in getting third grade from the faculty of the college, but hoped by their hard studying since, to be able to get them from the county school commissioner.

The Bostwick Hall, which is going to be erected on the college grounds, will be a two story, twelve room structure 40x90, elegantly finished, bids which will be received up to the 15th of July. The plan is gotten up by G. L. Norman, architect of Atlanta who has spared no pains in making it not only beautiful but convenient. It will cost something in the neighborhood of five thousand dollars. The money to be used in the construction of this building is a portion of the proceeds of the sale of the Calhoun property donated to the N. G. A. College some years ago by a northern gentleman named Bostwick, now deceased. A few years before this gentleman's death he decided that he had amply enough money to do him through the rest of his life and was getting too old to work gold mines, therefore he donated it to the college. Since then it has been sold to Mr. Whorton who is successfully working it. And now this building is being erected in the memory of the good and kind old gentleman who has gone to his reward. After its completion it will become the property of the state, same as the main college building.

Col. Charters had to go up to Clarksville this week on professional business.

Our young friend Ben Gaillard has been confined to his bed some days with typhoid fever.

By referring to an article elsewhere you will see that the Journal thinks that Atlanta will have another trunk line and that it will come by Dahlonega.

The little building adjoining the Burnside House, one of the oldest on the square, has been torn away this week. It was first occupied by attorney Gathwright, now deceased, long years ago.

The Oak Grove school trouble has been settled. Mr. Lance will teach there and Miss Mattie Moore will take charge of a school in Jackson county at \$35 per month, more money than our public school teachers are paid in this county.

J. R. Wright and Miss Georgia Goss, of Jones' Creek, appeared in the ordinary's office last Tuesday unmarried persons, but before they came out their hearts had been made to beat as one by Rev. W. H. Parks, who was called in to perform that which Judge Tate couldn't do.

Frank Crissman was bound over last Tuesday by Commissioner Baker for working in the settlement illicit distillery destroyed in Martin's Ford more than a year ago, making the tenth one arrested since then for having been concerned in it. There is still another one, Dolph Sullins, who has been hunting Marshal Grizzle for the purpose of giving up.

J. H. McKee, one of Dawson county's most wide awake business men, was up this week, in company with his wife, with an eye to renting a house and locating in Dahlonega for the purpose of educating his children, and it is said to put up a store. We extend to him a most hearty welcome. He rented the Johnson house, Prof. Witherspoon who occupies it now will discontinue house keeping and board, that is if he decides to remain here.

Geo. Walker, Jr., Walter Mappin and Olla Jones plead guilty last Monday to disturbing the peace and quietude of the town beyond Crane's Hill Sunday night one week ago. Mayor Price fined them one dollar each and trimmings and they went their way rejoicing. The boys were charged with shooting and yelling. Geo. is a peace officer but he forgot his obligation and it is claimed that he shot a ball through Jack Townsend's door—some one did. Better quit it boys. We have been all along there except we never shot at the moon nor ventilated a man's house by shooting through his door and never thought of giving a fourth of July like celebration on Sunday night, but did enough other things to have to pay various small council fines, but when the Judge of the Superior Court got hold of us and relieved our pockets of about forty dollars, the second time weaned us.

"Chocktaw" Davis got tangled up recently with a copperhead snake that was washed into the gold pit where he was at work down on Tan Yard branch which made him jump up and down for a while like the Indians used to do when they were giving the green corn dance. With the assistance of a pitchfork he prevented its tushes coming in contact with either one of his legs but it made him act in a manner looking strange to those passing who did not understand the situation. The insects and reptiles seem to have a spite at this old miner down on this celebrated branch. Not long since when donning his miners suit a wasp notified him with its sharp weapon that it had taken up quarters in his slips, and shortly before that, while taking a seat on a log to have a short chat with a lady he sat down on a stinging scorpion. Notwithstanding all these stings and excitement Mr. Davis still sticks to the old Tan Yard and has relieved her bed and banks of many penny-weights of gold.

The wheat crop in this section is sorry. Some farmers not cutting theirs at all.

But few knew that Mr. Buchanan, the leader of the band commencement was the son of Miss Lizzie Wootton who once resided in Dahlonega and moved to Atlanta many years ago and married.

A couple of gentlemen from Marietta or Atlanta were here last week taking views. They turned their camera on the new school house and some other public buildings in our town and then passed on to North Carolina.

Among the visitors here last week were G. C. Setzer, of Charlotte, N. C.; H. C. Blaymy and R. L. McCabe, of Illinois, who joined the rest of the visitors that arrived a few days previous and made a general inspection of the mining field.

A gentleman from Ohio told us the other day that his wife liked the NUGGET so well that she would sit up late to get it. Other gentlemen, who are not already subscribers should commence taking it at once in order to make their household happy.

There is some of the worst newspaper borrowers in Dahlonega of any place on earth surely. A man informed us the other day that some of his neighbors frequently came and carried off his paper before he had time to read it, and that is not all, they kept it. The ones borrowing the NUGGET is just as able to subscribe and pay for the paper as the other party. There is no shame about them else they would not treat their neighbor this way.

If you fail to get your paper on time it is not our fault. We have never yet failed in having the NUGGET off and in the Dahlonega postoffice by sun up on Friday morning two or three hours before the mail departs, and when your postmaster tells you that your paper failed to reach your office on the day that it is due inform him that it is not true for we see it put in the mail bags here every time, that is, all that is carried on the Gainesville line.

Wm. Childers, who left Dahlonega for Honduras in 1885 in company with several gentlemen to seek a fortune in that far off country, returned to his old stamping ground one day last week somewhat broke down in health. He says that country is a good one and plenty of money but not a very healthy climate for Americans. He left only three men there that went away from here, being Dock Livingston and John McClelland and Albert Merriweather, the two latter colored. Wm. Murray went to another country and is believed to be dead, while the rest of the party returned to the United States.

Last Saturday Mrs. Floyd Wheelchel, who lives with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Marlow at the Dahlonega camp ground, swore out a peace warrant for her husband and placed it in the hands of the sheriff. As we stated some weeks ago the two married in Hall a year or so ago while her parents resided in that county. Some time afterwards Mrs. Wheelchel returned to her fathers house during the absence of her husband and could not be induced by him to return. And when her parents moved to Dahlonega the daughter came with them. While they resided in town he made frequent visits here and appealed to his wife to return to his home but she would not consent to go. He first used kind words and then threatened to force his wife to go and live with him, but neither had any effect on the woman. A few weeks ago Mr. Marlow moved out to the camp ground some three miles from town whose new place of abode was not visited by his son-in-law until last Saturday, when he appeared and acted in such a manner as to cause Mrs. Wheelchel to swear out a warrant for the man she once loved. He was arrested and lodged in jail till Monday when he had a trial and was bound over to a \$100 bond which he made at once.

